

# Nuncius Cælestis :

## OR, THE STARRY MESSENGER

For the Year of our Redemption 1684.  
And from the Creation, according to Sacred  
Writ 5633.

Being the Bissextile or Leap-year.

Wherein is contained (1) *Astronomical* and *Meteorological Observations*. (2) *Astrological Predictions* of the State of the Year, deduced according to ART, from the Solar Ingresses, Eclipses, various Configurations, Aspects and Conjunctions of the Planets. (3) The *Rising* and *Setting* of the Sun and Moon: Also Her *Southing*; Together with many useful Rules and Tables pertinent for such a Work, Accommodated to the Meridian of London, which lies in the Latitude of 51 deg. 32 min. North, but may indifferently serve (without sensible Error) for any other part of Great Britain. To which is added, some Remarks upon the famous Conjunction of Saturn and Jupiter, in 1682. and 1683, &c.

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The Thirteenth Impression.

Legere, Perlegere & tunc Judicare.

I will behold the Heavens, even the works of thy Fingers, the Moon and the Stars which thou hast ordained, Psal. 8. 3.

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To the Buyers yearly of *Almanacks*  
and *Prognostications*.

Præfatio, five Admonitio pia & utilis.

**T**hou whose short span of Life, as plain appears,  
Hangs but upon the waſt of ſome few years :  
Which that Arithmetician, beſt of Men  
Caſt up, in his Account Threescore and Ten.  
How ſoon they will determine, dig thy Grave,  
Thou mayſt obſerve, thou ſeeſt what Wings they have,  
How with no ſound they wheel their time about,  
Eating with ſilence, Lives and Leaſes out :

Invigilate viri, tacito nam tempora grefſu  
Diffugiunt, nulloque ſono convertitur annus.

As here's a Date but yeſterday renew'd,  
No longer ſince, yet doth a Year conclude,  
In which the Diary of little coſt  
Is ſoon run out, and that ſmall value loſt  
Wherewith 'twas purchas'd ; if thou not extend  
Thy thoughts, to make it thus far forth thy friend,  
That every Year thy Almanack thou buyeſt,  
Th'art one Year nearer to the Year thou dyeſt :  
And from that Meditation ſo prepares  
Thy ſelf, that Death not ſeize thee unawares.  
One year thus to another yielding room,  
Haſt fill'd many a Sepulchre and Tomb ;  
Fretted out Braſs with Age, Marble with Ruſt,  
Converted Generations into Duſt.  
From which Collect though ne're ſo young thou be,  
This may be Dooms-days final year with thee ;  
And from that Motive ſuch a Method borrow,  
As thou ſhould'ſt live an Age, or dye to Morrow.  
Ultima ſemper expectanda dies.

The Julian or old Account used in England. } 1684 { The Gregorian or New Style used beyond Sea.

13	The Golden Number.	13
5	The Dominical Letter.	E A
23	The Epact.	13
Febr. 10	Shrove Sunday.	Febr. 13
March 30	Easter Day.	April 2
May 8	Ascension day.	May 11
May 18	Whit Sunday.	May 21
Novemb. 20	Aller Sunday.	Decemb. 2

A Table of the Four Terms and their Returns, &c.

Hilary Term begins Jan. 23. ends Feb. 12.

Return or Essays days.	Exception.	Ret. Brw.	Appearance
Octab. Hill. Jan. 21.	Jan. 21.	Jan. 22	Jan. 23
Quind. Hill. Jan. 28.	Jan. 28	Jan. 29	Jan. 30
Craft. Purific. Febr. 4.	Febr. 4	Febr. 5	Febr. 6
Octab. Purif. Febr. 11.	Febr. 11	Febr. 11	Febr. 12

Easter Term begins April 16. ends May 12.

Quind. Pasch. April 14	April 15	April 16	April 16
Tres Pasch. April 21.	April 22	April 23	April 24
Mens. Pasch. April 28.	April 29	April 30	May 1
Quinq. Pasch May 5.	May 6	May 7	May 9
Craft. Ascen. May 9.	May 10	May 10	May 12

Trinity Term begins May 30 ends June 18.

Craft. Trinit. May 26	May 27	May 28	May 30
Octab. Trinit. June 2	June 3	June 4	June 5
Quind. Trinit. June 5	June 10	June 11	June 12
Tres Trinit. June 10	June 17	June 17	June 18

Michaelmas Term begins Octob. 23. ends Novemb. 28.

Tres Mich. Octob. 20.	Octob. 21	Octob. 22	Octob. 23
Mens. Mich. Octob. 27.	Octob. 28	Octob. 29	Octob. 30
Craft. Anim. Nov. 3.	Novemb 4	Novemb. 5	Novemb. 6
Craft. Mart. Nov. 12.	Novemb. 13	Novemb. 14	Novemb. 15
Octab. Mart. Nov. 19.	Novemb. 20	Novemb. 21	Novemb. 22
Quind. Marr. Nov. 26.	Novemb. 27	Novemb. 27	Novemb. 28

A cunning knave that knows the Quirks of Law

Will no more value, than he does a Straw :

When you Arrest him he will Laugh at all

Those Troubles which on other Men befall.

And he through all the Cobweb Laws escapes,

Varying his Tricks as Proteus did his Shapes. [Epigram Satyr.

A plain and easie Table shewing the Golden Number, Epact, Cycle of the Sun, and Sunday Letter for ever; and Shrove-Sunday, Easter-Day, Rogation Sunday, Whit-Sunday, and Advent Sunday for twenty eight Years: According to the Julian or Old Account.

Anno Dom.	G.N.	Epact	S.Cy.	Let.	Sund.	Shrove Sunday	Easter Day.	Rogat. Sunday	Whit-Sunday	Advent Sunday
1680	9	9	9	D	Feb.	22	Apr. 11	May 16	May 30	Nov. 28
1681	10	20	10	B	Febr.	13	Apr. 3	May 8	May 22	Nov. 27
1682	11	1	11	A	Febr.	26	Apr. 16	May 21	Jun. 4	Dec. 3
1683	12	12	12	C	Febr.	18	Apr. 8	May 13	May 27	Dec. 2
1684	13	23	13	E	Febr.	10	Mar. 30	May 4	May 18	Nov. 30
1685	14	4	14	D	Mar.	1	Apr. 19	May 24	Jun. 7	Nov. 29
1686	15	15	15	C	Febr.	14	Apr. 4	May 9	May 23	Nov. 28
1687	16	26	16	B	Febr.	6	Mar. 27	May 1	May 15	Nov. 27
1688	17	7	17	A	Febr.	26	Apr. 15	May 20	Jun. 3	Dec. 2
1689	18	18	18	E	Febr.	10	Mar. 31	May 5	May 19	Dec. 1
1690	19	29	19	D	Mar.	2	Apr. 20	May 25	Jun. 8	Nov. 30
1691	1	11	20	C	Febr.	22	Apr. 12	May 17	May 31	Nov. 29
1692	2	22	21	B	Febr.	7	Mar. 27	May 1	May 15	Nov. 27
1693	3	3	22	A	Febr.	26	Apr. 16	May 21	Jun. 4	Dec. 3
1694	4	14	23	E	Febr.	18	Apr. 8	May 13	May 27	Dec. 2
1695	5	23	24	D	Febr.	3	Mar. 24	Apr. 28	May 12	Dec. 1
1696	6	6	25	C	Febr.	23	Apr. 12	May 17	May 31	Nov. 29
1697	7	17	26	B	Febr.	14	Apr. 4	May 9	May 23	Nov. 28
1698	8	28	27	A	March	6	Apr. 24	May 29	Jun. 12	Nov. 27
1699	9	9	28	E	Febr.	19	Apr. 9	May 14	May 28	Dec. 3
1700	10	20	1	D	Febr.	11	Mar. 31	May 5	May 19	Dec. 1
1701	11	1	2	C	March	2	Apr. 20	May 25	Jun. 8	Nov. 30
1702	12	12	3	B	Febr.	15	Apr. 5	May 10	May 24	Nov. 29
1703	13	23	4	A	Febr.	7	Mar. 28	May 2	May 16	Nov. 28
1704	14	4	5	E	Febr.	27	Apr. 16	May 21	Jun. 4	Dec. 3
1705	15	15	6	D	Febr.	18	Apr. 8	May 13	May 27	Dec. 2
1706	16	26	7	C	Febr.	3	Mar. 24	Apr. 28	May 12	Dec. 1
1707	17	7	8	B	Febr.	23	Apr. 12	May 18	Jun. 1	Nov. 30

This Table is so plain and easie, that it needs no Explanation more than the Titles direct. Note, That Easter ever falleth between the 21 of March and 26 of April exclusively, and if the Golden Number be either 5, 13, or 16. and the Dominical Letter G, then Easter-Day falls on our Lady-Day, or the 25 of March. Likewise when the Golden Number is 8, and the Dominical Letter C, Easter-Day falls on 3 Marks day or the 24 of April.



# The Regal Table.

Kings and Queens.	Born anno	Began to Reign.	Reigned Y.	M.	Since their reigns ended.	Buried at
William	1103	1066 Oct. 14	10	11	1197 Sept. 9.	Can Norm.
William	1107	1087 Sept. 9.	13	11	1184 Aug. 2.	Winchester
Henry	1108	1100 Aug. 2	15	4	1149 Dec. 1	Reading
Stephen	1105	1135 Dec. 1	12	11	1130 Oct. 26.	Faversham

## The Saxon Line Restored.

Henry	1133	1114 Oct. 25.	15	9	1195 July 6.	Fountains
Richard	1135	1189 July 6.	9	48	1185 April 6.	Fountains
John	1165	1199 April 6.	07	4	1168 Oct. 19.	Worcester
Henry	1207	1216 Oct. 19.	16	1	1172 Nov. 16.	Westminster
Edward	1239	1273 Nov. 16.	34	8	1177 July 7.	Westminster
Edward	1283	1307 July 7.	19	6	1185 Jan. 25.	Gloucester
Edward	1313	1326 Jan. 25.	13	5	1307 June 21.	Westminster
Richard	1366	1377 June 21.	11	3	1385 Sept. 29.	Westminster

## The Line of Lancaster.

Henry	4	1367	1399 Sept. 29.	13	6	1371 Mar. 30.	Canterbury
Henry	5	1384	1413 Mar. 30.	9	5	1363 Aug. 31.	Westminster
Henry	6	1413	1413 Aug. 11.	13	6	1384 March 4	Windsor

## The Line of York.

Edward	4	1443	1460 March 4.	13	1	1301 April 9.	Winchester
Edward	5	1433	1471 April 9.	0	2	1301 June 23.	Not known
Richard	1	1448	1483 June 18.	2	3	1290 Aug. 23.	Leicester

## The Families United.

Henry	7	1459	1485 Aug. 23.	13	5	1175 Apr. 21.	Westminster
Henry	8	1491	1508 Apr. 23.	17	1	1138 June 23.	Windsor
Edward	6	1537	1547 Jan. 28.	5	5	1131 July 6.	Westminster
Q. Mary		1518	1553 July 6.	5	4	1146 Nov. 1.	Westminster
Q. Eliz.		1533	1558 Nov. 17.	44	4	1128 March 14.	Westminster

## The Union of the two Kingdoms.

James		1566	1601 Mar. 24.	13	0	159 March 27.	Westminster
Charles	1	1600	1625 Mar. 27.	13	11	136 Jan. 30.	Windsor
Charles	2	1610	1643 Jan. 30			Whom God grant long to Reign	

*Some Princes have been Surnam'd Red, some Black ;  
 Some Tall, some Crook'd (as well in Mind as) Back :  
 Some for their Learning, some for Valour stand  
 Admired, by this Learn'd and Warlike-Land :  
 Our Gracious King's both Black and Tall of Stature,  
 Learn'd, Valiant, Wise, and Lib'ral too by Nature.  
 But that Adorns Him more than all the rest  
 Is Mercy in his most Religious Breast :  
 Which mix'd with Justice, makes him thus to shine  
 Th' Incens'd Glory of the Royal Line. Sr. G. W.*

January hath xxxij. Days.

New Moon the 6 day, 38 min. past 5 at night.  
First quarter the 14 day, 26 min. past 6 at night.  
Full Moon the 22 day, 6. min. past 8 in the morn.  
Last quarter the 28 day, 50 min. past 9 at night.

D.	M.	Sabbath days and Wea.	The place	h	#	+	e	i	y	d3	D's will and Ser
1	a	New years da.	16 m	20	3F	*	2	*	*	25	1 M. 36
2	b	the New Year	0	f	10	□	R.	□	25	* 18	16 3 18
3	c	is ushered in	13	52	3	□	3	23	7	20	25 4 36
4	d	with cold blasts	27	23	△	13	4	2	3	21	25 5 4
5	e	of wind accom-	10	v	40	3	23	*	20	7	23 25 6 57
6	f	A twelfth day,	23	50	3	△	6	6	10	6	26 Moon on Sea
7	g	paved with cold	6	=	38	3	23	7	20	6	26 5 A. c
8	h	Snow or Rain,	19	12	3	23	7	28	13	28	26 6 5
9	i	perhaps confi-	1	X	34	6	23	8	30	14	29 7 8
10	j	rable, and if so	13	42	3	8	8	=	16	=	25 8 14
11	k	then little Fro	25	42	3	23	10	*	17	3	25 9 24
12	l	may be expected:	7	Y	36	3	22	10	3	18	* 25 10 50
13	m	a past Epiph.	19	30	3	22	11	4	*	6	26 11 35
14	n	yet in the gene-	1	O	22	△	22	10	□	21	8 25 12 42
15	o	ral, the M ntl	13	22	3	22	*	5	22	□	25 0 III 42
16	p	shou'd be atten-	25	33	□	△	4	△	□	10	25 1 50
17	q	d d with mode-	8	II	4	2	22	14	3	24	△ 25 3 2
18	r	rate seasonabl	20	5	2	□	□	7	△	15	25 4 12
19	s	weather. The	4	S	10	*	22	16	10	27	15 25 5 20
20	t	a past Epiph.	17	40	2	*	△	11	28	18	25 6 20
21	u	greatest altera-	1	Q	41	2	22	17	12	29	20 25 7 16
22	v	tion, shou'd be a-	16	52	2	22	18	8	X	8	25 Moon Rise
23	w	term, begins.	0	NY	40	6	21	19	14	8	23 25 6 A. 8
24	x	about the Full M.	15	20	2	8	8	15	3	25	25 7 24
25	y	Conv. St Paul	0	=	6	2	21	20	10	4	27 25 8 45
26	z	and more parti-	15	4	2	21	21	△	5	20	25 17 10
27	a	Septuagesima.	29	5	*	21	22	18	7	△	25 11 35
28	b	cularly the latter	13	M	1	21	23	□	△	2	25 12 52
29	c	and, which shou'd	27	2	□	*	△	20	4	25	0 M. 58
30	d	St. Clair, Icarat.	10	f	41	1	21	24	21	□	□ 25 2 16
31	e	de Tar'ulent, &c.	23	58	2	7	□	2	12	7	25 2 18

January 1684.

Alas! My Muse doth Faint e're she proceed,  
To Tune *Encomiums* on a Mournful Reed :  
Wife *Calliope*, Sweet Queen of Eloquence,  
Inspire her Thoughts with Sacred Influence.  
Take Courage (*Muse*) pure Zeal shall stand thy Bar,  
Be not afraid of every Angry Star.

Month days.

☉ R & S ☿ South H. Wat.

Astrological Observations.

1	8	2	4	7	M. 14	10	20	<i>Felix qui potuit rerum Cognoscere</i>
2	8	0	4	8		10	11	<i>causas.</i>
3	7	58	5	9		6	12	12 After many dangerous and very
4	7	57	5	10		0	1	A. 6 Troublesome Transactions, we
5	7	56	5	10	56	2		0 are now arrived to the year 1684,
6	7	55	5	11	50	2		55 and still we find that the Heavens
7	7	54	5	12	48	3		54 walk in a constant course of Cir-
8	7	53	5	1	A. 24	4		30 cular Motion. The year is ushered
9	7	52	5	2	10	5		16 in with a Benevolent ☿ of the ☉
10	7	50	5	2	58	6		4 and ♀, which barely considered,
11	7	49	5	3	38	6		44 doth Astrologically portend very
12	7	47	5	4	21	7		26 happy Transactions in general ;
13	7	46	5	5		28		8 but the Malevolent ♂ of ♄ and
14	7	45	5	5	42	8		48 ♂, concurring may 'tis to be
15	7	44	5	6	28	9		34 feared (spoil) our most hopeful ex-
16	7	42	5	7	9	10		14 pectations. Many are the ♂s of
17	7	41	5	8	2	11		8 the Planets this Month (as in the
18	7	39	5	8	54	12		2 last January.) Hence may be ex-
19	7	38	5	9	51	12		55 pected notable strong Debates in
20	7	36	5	10	49	1	M. 54	the most Grave and Serious Coun-
21	7	35	5	11	46	2		50 cils of several Nations in Europe.
22	7	32	5	12	41	3		46 Now are the Pregnant Wits at
23	7	31	5	0	M. 41	4		2 work to bring about their Designs,
24	7	30	5	1	35	4		42 and Factionous Persons are still per-
25	7	28	5	2	28	5		34 plexed in their Spirits, others ap-
26	7	26	5	3	30	6		35 pear too active and come off by
27	7	24	5	4		7		14 Weeping Cross. 'Tis great folly,
28	7	22	5	5		28		8 men chuse rather to suffer with
29	7	20	5	5	56	9		2 Repining, then be happy with
30	7	18	5	6	50	9		55 content. What a strange Plotting
31	7	16	5	7	48	10		54 and Conspiring Age do we now
1								live in ? <i>Tempus omnia rivelat.</i>

At London Bridge.

# February hath xxix day

Full Moon the 5 day 20 min. past 10 in the morn.  
 First Quarter the 13 day 56 min. past 1 afternoon.  
 Full Moon the 20 day 50 min. past 4 afternoon.  
 Last Quarter the 27 day 30 min. past 7 in the morning.  
 Note, That Venus is the Bright Evening Star till the 25 of  
 Aug. and our Morning Star thence to the end of the Year.

Encl. Acco. 7

M.D.	WD	Saints days and Weath.	The Day place.	h	☿	♂	☼	♀	♂	♀	☾	Moon Rise and Set.
1	b	This month comes	7	W	5	△	21	26	23	✱	✱	24 4 50
2	e	Candlemas da.	20	O	R	△	27	24	14	10	24 5 42	
3	e	Sexagesima	2	≡	44	1	21	✱	25	10	12 24 6 28	
4	e	in with cold clou-	15	18	1	21	28	26	17	13	24 7 16	
5	a	dy weath. and a-	27	40	♂	20	29	♂	18	14	24 Moon Sets	
6	b	bout the New	9	✱	43	1	20	30	28	19	16 24 5 58	
7	c	Moon a sudden	22	O	1	♂	Y	29	♂	♂	24 7 10	
8	d	alteration to	3	Y	58	1	20	♂	20	22	18 24 8 12	
9	e	Rain, or Snow, or	15	54	1	20	2	✱	23	19	24 9 14	
10	e	Quinquagesima	27	46	△	20	3	✱	24	19	24 10 18	
11	e	both. Afterwards	9	♂	40	0	20	3	20	20	24 11 28	
12	a	St. Ro. Tuesd.	21	40	0	△	4	4	≡	✱	24 12 45	
13	b	T. ends Ash W	3	II	48	□	19	✱	□	28	21 24 7 46	
14	c	Valentine.	16	80	0	□	6	6	25	□	24 1 55	
15	d	good seasonable	28	55	0	19	7	✱	□	21	24 3 5	
16	e	weath. without	12	S	2	△	✱	□	8	Y	R. 24 4 12	
17	e	Quadragesima	25	40	♂	19	8	0	3	△	24 5 8	
18	e	much alteration,	9	♂	45	30	19	△	10	△	20 24 5 56	
19	a	till about the 20	24	15	30	19	10	11	5	20	24 5 30	
20	b	Ember week	9	II	12	♂	19	10	♂	7	15 24 6 non Rises	
21	c	day, then expect	24	18	30	♂	11	13	♂	18	24 5 A 24	
22	d	winds to purpose	9	≡	26	30	18	♂	14	9	♂ 24 7 50	
23	e	bringing Rain,	24	28	30	18	13	15	20	15	24 9 14	
24	e	a Sunday in Lent	9	III	8	29	18	13	△	12	24 10 30	
25	e	St. Matthias	23	28	△	✱	14	17	13	15	22 12 6	
26	e	and a stabby sea-	7	7	24	19	18	15	18	14	□ 24 6 M 6	
27	a	son which may	20	55	□	□	△	□	△	1	24 1 2	
28	b	well be call'd	4	W	5	29	17	16	20	16	✱ 24 2 38	
29	c	Febr. till Dile.	16	58	✱	△	□	✱	□	9	2 40	

Now England, England, sing *Vive le Roy*,  
 Thy Forts are full replenished with Joy;  
 Now Boast thy self amidst thy Towing Pride,  
 Thy Ebb's transform'd into a flowing Tide  
 Of Mirth and Gladness, praise our God, I say,  
 Who turn'd thy Night into a Sun shine day.

D.	© P&S.	D South	H. Wat	Astrological Observations.	
				Sig-a de Cælo sunt formidanda.	
1	7 15 5	8 M. 41	11 45	This Month is attended with more	
2	7 14 5	9 35	12 38		
3	7 12 5	10 25	1 A. 30	♂s than the former, and certainly	
4	7 11 5	11 16	2 20		
5	7 10 5	12 6	3 12	may therefore produce as remark-	
6	7 8 5	12 51	3 55		
7	7 5 5	1 A. 35	4 40	ble Effects not only in Eng <sup>d</sup> and,	
8	7 4 5	2 16	5 20		
9	7 1 5	2 56	6 2	but in many other Kingdoms and	
10	5 59 0	3 36	6 42		
11	5 57 0	4 20	7 25	Countries of Europe. — Were the	
12	5 55 0	4 8	8 10		
13	5 53 0	5 38	8 53	Consultations now on Foot and the	
14	6 51 0	6 42	9 48		
15	6 48 0	7 38	10 44	Spirits of men as peaceable as the	
16	6 45 0	8 32	11 38		
17	6 42 0	9 28	12 35	Season is unfit for Action we should	
18	6 40 0	10 22	1 M. 25		
19	6 38 0	11 20	2 25	be happy; but most Prudent men	
20	6 35 0	12 16	3 21		
21	6 34 0	1 M. 16	3 50	fear the contrary, and the Heavens	
22	6 32 0	12 4	4 18		
23	6 31 0	1 5	5 14	seems to encline men to Muriny	
24	6 30 0	2 5	6 8		
25	6 28 0	3 56	7 2	and Rebellion in some places of Eu-	
26	6 26 0	4 50	8 2		
27	6 24 0	5 45	8 50	rope. About this time there is a nar-	
28	6 22 0	6 38	9 45		
29	6 20 0	7 35	10 40	row Inspection made into the late	
30	6 18 0	8 35	11 35		

Note that the Roman Account is always 10 days before the English Account, so that their 11th day is our first, &c.

# March hath xxxj. Days.

Eng. Acco.

New Moon the 6 day, 26 min. past 3 in the morn.  
First quarter the 14 day, 16 min. past 6 in the morn.  
Full Moon the 21 day, at 2 in the morning.  
Last quarter the 27 day, 6 min. past 8 at night.

M.D.	Saints days and Weath.	The place	h	☿	♂	☼	♀	♂	♂	D's Rising & Setting.	
1	David Bishop.	29	36	R.	17	18	22	19	8	R. 23 4 36	
2	3 Sund. in Lent	12	4	29	17	*	23	20	8	23 5 14	
3	Seasonable wea.	24	20	♂	17	19	24	*	7	23 5 40	
4	for the most part	6	30	29	17	20	25	23	♂	23 6 0	
5	for the first half	18	36	29	♂	21	26	24	7	23 6 13	
6	of this Month	0	38	29	17	21	♂	25	6	23 Moon Set.	
7	in many places of	12	34	29	17	22	28	26	6	23 7 A. 18	
8	England, and	24	30	Δ	17	♂	29	♂	D.	23 8 25	
9	Mildent Sund.	6	♂	24	28	16	24	30	29	*	23 9 34
10	in particular	18	20	28	Δ	24	Y	30	7	23 10 46	
11	our Metropolis	0	II	20	□	16	25	*	1♂	7 22 11 54	
12	London, mild	12	30	28	□	27	3	2	□	29 12 58	
13	and temperate	24	51	*	16	*	4	3	8	21 5 M. 58	
14	in the general	7	30	28	*	28	□	*	Δ	22 1 56	
15	with cold Morn-	20	32	28	16	29	♂	♂	9	22 2 54	
16	5 Sund. in Lent	4	0	28	15	□	Δ	□	10	22 3 44	
17	ings and Even-	12	56	28	15	♂	8	7	10	22 4 26	
18	ings, and about	2	30	♂	15	Δ	9	Δ	11	22 4 58	
19	the Full Moon	17	26	28	♂	1	10	10	♂	22 5 26	
20	the winds Rise	2	40	28	15	2	11	11	13	22 5 50	
21	high, and may	18	2	28	15	3	♂	12	14	22 Moon Rise	
22	blow up a Storm	3	15	*	15	♂	13	1	15	22 8 A. 50	
23	Palm-Sunday.	18	20	28	*	4	14	♂	Δ	22 9 50	
24	or two of Rain,	2	52	□	15	5	15	17	17	22 11 16	
25	Lady day.	17	0	28	□	5	Δ	18	□	22 12 33	
26	and probably	0	36	Δ	14	Δ	17	19	19	22 5 M. 33	
27	Hilary in some	13	45	28	Δ	7	□	20	*	22 1 40	
28	places.	26	34	28	14	3	15	Δ	20	22 2 38	
29		9	6	28	14	□	20	23	23	21 3 18	
30	after day.	21	24	♂	14	0	*	□	24	21 3 50	
31		3	30	17	♂	*	22	20	20	21 4 12	

March. 1684.

What if th' Almighty had stretch't out his hand,  
To scourge *Impiety* within thy Land;  
And raz'd thy Walls with flat confusion,  
With civil Broyles, and proud Rebellion?  
Then had thy Famous Cities gone to wrack,  
And every Town been subject to the Sack.

Month days.

D	R&S.			fourth H. Wat.			Astrological Observations.		
1	5	18	08	M. 20	11	32	<i>Quot homines tot sententia.</i>		
2	5	16	09		13	24	Secrecy is the very Soul of Poli-		
3	6	14	10	41	A. 10		cy, and therefore ought (and ge-		
4	6	12	10	48	I	54	nerally is) strictly observed in		
5	6	10	11	32	2	38	matters of State. There are now		
6	5	8	12	15	3	20	about this time very weighty		
7	6	6	12	52	4	4	Consultations in <i>England</i> , and		
8	6	4	1	A. 42	4	48	carried on with much Privacy		
9	5	2	62	30	5	35	which puts the People upon the		
10	5	0	63	20	6	24	greater expectancy of what the		
11	5	58	74		27	8	Result may produce, but I say <i>cau</i>		
12	5	56	74	50	7	56	<i>fiat</i> ? To what end? Great Persons		
13	5	54	75	40	8	45	appear more then ordinary jealous		
14	5	52	76	32	9	36	of one anothers Actions, and in		
15	5	50	77	25	10	30	vain we murmur at the things		
16	5	48	78	18	11	24	which must be. The happiest		
17	5	46	79	12	12	16	Person of us all must not think to		
18	5	44	710		71	12	escape in this World without a		
19	5	43	711	42		10	share of some Misfortunes, is not		
20	5	41	711	58	3	2	his <i>Mundus sive</i> <i>infus</i> , a Mad World?		
21	5	39	712	53	3	58	We are yet under the Male Effects		
22	5	37	70	M. 53	4	20	of the last two Months Configura-		
23	5	36	71	50	4	56	tions, and they cannot reasonably		
24	5	35	72	50	5	55	be expected to be of any pleasing		
25	5	34	73	48	6	53	endency, but I fear rather great		
26	5	32	74	44	7	48	Discord, Clashing, and Discon-		
27	5	30	75	40	8	45	tent, unhappily breaks out, and		
28	5	28	76	31	9	40	we are too apt to repine at the		
29	5	26	77	26	10	30	Actions of our Superiors.		
30	5	24	78	16	11	18	<i>Semel in sanis omnia.</i>		
31	5	22	78	58	12	4			

April hath xxx. Days.

**New Moon the 4 day, about 9 at Night.**

First quarter the 12 day, 10 min. past 7 afternoon.

Full Moon the 19 day, 56 min. past 9 morning.

Left quarter the 26 day, 12 min. past 9 morning.

W.D.	Saints days and Weath.	The place	h	l	o	q	q	o	D's Rising & Setting.
1	Brisk Gales of	15 33	R	♂	*	23	26	27	21 4 34
2	wind at the be-	27 32	27	R.	11	24	*	♂	21 5 53
3	ginning hereof.	9 28	27	14	12	24	29	30	21 5 10
4	also curious	21 24	Δ	14	13	♂	30	Υ	21 Noon Set
5	springing showers	3 20	27	14	13	26	II	2	21 7 34
6	Low Winds	15 18	27	Δ	♂	27	2	4	21 8 42
7	of Rain, very	27 20	□	13	15	28	3	5	21 9 52
8	seasonable, which	9 18	27	□	16	25	♂	*	21 11 2
9	continues with-	21 31	*	13	16	30	5	9	21 12 4
10	out any Notable	4 6	27	13	17	*	7	10	21 0 4
11	Alteration, till	16 48	27	*	*	♂	8	□	21 1 0
12	about the Full	29 48	27	13	18	□	9	14	21 1 50
13	a past Easter	13 9	27	13	□	4	*	Δ	21 2 36
14	Moon, then in	25 58	♂	13	20	5	12	17	21 3 6
15	all probability	11 16	27	♂	20	Δ	□	19	21 3 32
16	Term begins	26 12	27	13	Δ	7	14	21	20 3 54
17	we may have	1 5	27	13	22	8	Δ	22	20 4 18
18	some change of	26 24	*	13	23	9	16	♂	20 4 40
19	Air to a great	11 40	D	*	23	♂	18	26	20 Moon Rise
20	a past Easter.	26 44	□	13	♂	11	19	28	20 9 6
21	ter plenty of	11 28	27	□	25	12	20	♂	20 10 30
22	Rain, and Wind,	25 45	Δ	13	25	13	♂	2	20 11 36
23	St. Georges da.	9 33	27	Δ	26	Δ	22	Δ	20 12 30
24	and probably	22 46	27	13	Δ	15	23	6	20 0 30
25	St. Mark.	5 37	27	13	28	16	24	□	20 1 20
26	Hail, more or	18 18	♂	13	28	□	26	10	20 2 0
27	a past Easter.	1 24	27	13	□	18	Δ	13	20 2 24
28	less in some pla-	12 28	27	♂	20	19	28	*	20 2 42
29	ces.	24 25	27	13	II	*	□	17	20 3 0
30		5 20	27	13	*	21	□	15	20 3 20



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Then would the Mother dread, her dreadful Child,  
Then Spotless Virgins would have been defil'd;  
All these (*O London!*) to thy extream pain,  
With present *Spoil* wert likely to sustain:  
Then hadst thou languish'd in the Effusion  
Of Bloody Murther and Confusion.

☉ R & S	D	fourth	H. War.	Astrological Observations.
1 5 20 7 9	M	42	12 46	Nunc mea, nunc hujus est postea nescio cuius.
2 5 17 7 10		24	1 A. 25	
3 5 14 7 11		6 2	11	This Month is attended with
4 5 12 7 11		46 2	52	many benevolent Aspects of the
5 5 10 7 12		25 3	33	Planets, which may (I hope) in-
6 5 8 7 1	A.	14 4	16	fluence the Spirits of the most
7 5 7 7 2		0 5	5	thinking sort of Men amongst us
8 5 2 7 2		48 5	54	to Amity and Friendship, and to
9 5 1 7 3		35 6	44	use their utmost Endeavours to
10 5 0 7 4		30 7	36	settle and compose those strange
11 4 48 8 5		22 8	28	Irregularities we are unhappily
12 4 56 8 6		15 9	20	fallen into; Blessed are the Peace-
13 4 54 8 7		6 10	12	makers. Now good News may
14 4 52 8 7		58 11	4	be expected from several parts of
15 4 50 8 8		52 11	54	Europe, and therefore let us hope
16 4 48 8 9		50 12	54	well, notwithstanding we know
17 4 46 8 10		48 1	52	that the course of this World is
18 4 44 8 11		44 2	48	full of change. Here's Prefer-
19 4 43 8 12		42 3	46	ment waits upon some Eminent
20 4 41 8 0	M	42 4	0	Persons of our Nation, they are
21 4 39 8 1		38 4	40	men of good Reputation, and
22 4 37 8 2		37 5	40	generally beloved for their Inte-
23 4 36 8 3		34 6	40	grity and Loyalty - -- Ergo, none
24 4 35 8 4		30 7	30	of the Plotting Cabal, from the
25 4 33 8 5		26 7	30	very thoughts of which, Good Lord
26 4 31 8 6		16 8	20	deliver us. Now some great Mar-
27 4 29 8 7		2 9	8	er is under debate, and still we
28 4 28 8 7		46 10	50	live in hopes of accomplishing
29 4 26 8 8		28 11	30	our Desires, but rarely sit down
30 4 24 8 9		8 12	12	with any continued or lasting Sa-

May hath xxxij. days.

Eng. Acco.

New Moon the 4 day; 54 min. past Noon.

First quarter the 12 day, 58 min. past 3 in the morn.

Full Moon the 18 day, 38 min. past 5 at night.

Left quarter the 25 day, 30 min. past midnight.

M.D.	W.L.S.	Saints days and Weards.	The place,	h	v	f	c	s	i	e	d	's	Ratuy
				SL	II	III	IV	V	VI	VII	VIII	IX	Setting
1	a	Pentecost Jacob	18 Y 15	27	15	2	22	1	21	20	3	M.	40
2	c	Tried at the be	o O 10	Δ	13	2	23	*	23	20	3		56
3	b	ianing, which	12 8	7	Δ	3	24	4	25	20	4		12
4	e	6 past Easter	24 12	□	15	4	♂	5	♂	20		Moon Set	
5	f	& Rogation S-	6 II 25	27	□	♂	25	6	II	20	9		6
5	a	may blow up	18 4	27	13	5	26	7	2	19	10		10
7	a	Gain about the	1 \$ 8	*	12	5	27	8	4	19	11		8
8	b	Holy Thursday	13 40	28	*	7	28	♂	5	19	11		53
9	c	New Moon, and	26 3	28	12	7	*	10	8	15	12		30
10	d	the whole Month	9 Ω 4	28	15	*	II	12	*	19	0	M.	30
11	e	6 past Easter	23 5	♂	15	9	I	13	12	19	1		4
12	f	Term ends.	6 III 48	28	♂	□	□	*	14	19	1		38
13	B	is general, pro-	20 5	28	13	10	3	15	□	19	2		2
14	a	inc's much va-	5 Δ 21	28	3	Δ	Δ	16	18	19	2		24
15	b	rity of weather,	20 4	*	13	11	5	□	Δ	19	2		46
16	c	now in all pro-	5 M 2	28	13	12	5	18	22	19	3		6
17	d	ability some	20 c	□	*	13	7	Δ	24	19	3		25
18	e	Whit-Sunday.	4 f 58	28	14	14	♂	20	26	19		Moon Rise	
19	f	Thunder about	19 38	Δ	□	♂	9	21	28	19	9	A.	16
20	B	the Full M.on	3 v 53	18	14	15	10	23	♂	19	10		18
21	a	Ember Wee'	17 4	18	Δ	15	11	♂	\$	19	11		15
22	b	may be expected.	1 = 5	28	14	16	Δ	25	3	19	11		55
23	c	out towards tin	14 A	28	14	Δ	13	26	4	19	12		24
24	d	end of the Mont	26 39	f	14	18	14	27	6	19		M.	24
25	e	Trinity Suni	8 K 50	8	♀	18	□	28	Δ	18			48
26	f	very pleasant	20 58	28	14	□	16	29	8	18	1		10
27	B	Summer re-atm	2 Y 5	25	14	20	17	Δ	10	18	1		28
28	e	Invisible to the	14 48	29	14	*	*	Ω	□	18	1		45
29	b	K.Char. & N.R.	26 40	Δ	1	21	18	2	12	18	2		0
30	c	Term begins.	7 O 3	19	Δ	12	15	□	*	18	2		16
31	d	Season.	10 4	□	15	22	20	4	14	18	2		36

May 1684.

Adopted *England*, sweet *Elysian* Isle,  
Observe how God Revives thee with a Smile,  
What greater honour to thee could he bring,  
Then Bless thy Land with such a *Gracious* King?  
Who lends an Ear to every Subjects Cry,  
Decides his Case with Princely Gravity.

☉ R & S		☿ South H. W. at		Astrological Observations.	
1	4 22 8	9 M. 4	12 51	<i>Optima Corrupta piffima.</i>	
2	4 21 8	10 3	1 A. 34	Good order is the Life and Sou	
3	4 19 8	11 1	2 16	of Government, and all things	
4	4 17 8	11 5	3 2	have their just Beginning, Progress,	
5	4 16 8	12 4	3 52	and Dissolution. Here are variety	
6	4 14 8	1 A. 4	4 44	of Configurations of the Planets	
7	4 13 8	2 3	5 35	(this Month, their Light and Ray:	
8	4 12 8	2 5	5 26	are variously dispers'd amongst	
9	4 11 8	3 7	5 20	themselves, and therefore we may	
10	4 10 8	3 8	10 10	expect to hear of as stupendious	
11	4 9 8	5 8	9 2	and perhaps amazing Transactions	
12	4 7 8	5 9	9 54	in many parts of <i>Europe</i> , now or	
13	4 6 8	7 4	10 46	near this time. Such a Complica-	
14	4 5 8	8 34	11 38	tion of the Beams and Rays of the	
15	4 4 8	9 26	12 30	Celestial Wanderers, usually por-	
16	4 2 8	10 21	1 M. 25	tend, and produce in the <i>Americ-</i>	
17	4 1 8	11 20	2 26	cism, much of Action in General,	
18	4 0 8	12 18	3 0	and certainly now we may see	
19	3 59 9	0 M. 18	3 26	something of the effects of the last	
20	3 58 9	1 16	4 18	Famous <i>Triple Conjunction</i> , and	
21	3 57 9	2 14	5 20	<i>Comets</i> put forward by the late un-	
22	3 56 9	3 12	6 16	happy <i>Quadrat</i> of <i>Saturn</i> and	
23	3 55 9	4 7	6 6	<i>Mars</i> from those places of <i>Hea-</i>	
24	3 54 9	5 7	54	ven they are said to have, or	
25	3 54 9	6 8	40	are debilitated in, that is to say	
26	3 53 9	7 20	24	<i>Lio</i> and <i>Taurus</i> , fixed Signs, and	
27	3 52 9	8 10	10	this <i>Quadrat</i> falls near vic-	
28	3 52 9	9 10	50	lent fixed Stars; also, viz. <i>Co-</i>	
29	3 51 9	10 11	34	<i>Leonis</i> and the <i>Pleiades</i> .	
30	3 51 9	11 12	16	<i>Lux Argus Involva.</i>	
31	3 50 9	12 1	0		

# June hath xxx Dayes.

New Moon the 3 day, 42 min. past 2 in the morning.  
 First quarter the 10 day, 48 min. past 9 in the morning.  
 Full Moon the 17 day, 26 min. past 2 in the morning.  
 Last quarter the 24 day, 16 min past 5 afternoon.

M.D.	W.D.	Saints days and Wea.	The place	h	l	v	l	l	o	q	l	l	D's Rise. and Set.
1	e	1 Sund. past Tr	2	II	32	29	15	23	21	*	16	18	0
2	f	this Month en-	15	13	29	□	24	22	6	17	12	1	25
3	a	ters with plea-	27	46	*	15	♂	♂	7	17	18	2	moon 3
4	a	sant Summ.r	10	21	29	*	25	24	8	18	11	2	A. 48
5	b	weather, which	23	28	29	15	26	25	10	♂	18	10	26
6	c	may continue at	5	37	29	15	26	25	♂	20	18	11	5
7	d	least for the	19	59	29	15	27	27	12	20	18	11	36
8	e	2 Sund. past Tr	3	32	29	15	*	*	13	21	18	12	0
9	f	first week, then	17	20	♂	♂	28	20	14	*	18	12	24
10	a	expect an in-	1	18	30	16	□	□	15	22	18	0	m 24
11	a	S. Barnabas	15	31	30	16	30	25	*	□	18	0	45
12	b	crease of heat	29	54	*	16	△	△	17	23	18	1	6
13	c	and probably	14	m	26	30	*	25	3	□	23	17	30
14	d	Thunder, with	29	0	□	16	2	4	18	△	17	1	55
15	e	3 Sund. past Tr	13	2	30	30	□	2	5	△	23	17	20
16	f	some few haly	27	50	△	16	♂	♂	20	R.	17	3	8
17	a	showrs soon	11	v	58	32	△	4	♂	21	23	17	moon Rise
18	a	Term Ends	25	31	0	17	4	7	22	♂	17	9	34
19	b	over, yet the	9	50	0	17	5	8	23	23	17	10	10
20	c	very last week	22	60	0	17	6	9	♂	23	17	10	44
21	d	could afford the	4	42	♂	17	△	△	25	22	17	11	8
22	e	4 Sund. past Tr	17	31	♂	7	11	26	△	17	11		26
23	f	most variety,	29	10	1	17	8	12	27	21	17	11	46
24	a	S. John Bapt	11	v	51	18	□	□	28	21	17	12	5
25	a	then expect	22	55	1	18	9	14	29	□	17	0	m 5
26	b	Wind and Rain	4	50	△	18	*	15	△	20	17	0	20
27	c	sufficient, if my	16	44	1	△	10	*	17	*	17	0	38
28	d	Kate fast we	28	48	□	18	11	1	□	19	17	0	56
29	e	S. Peters day	11	II	51	18	12	15	2	18	17	1	20
30	f	not.	23	39	*	□	12	1	*	17	17	1	50

JUNE 1684.

Months days.

Methinks I hear the Thundring Canons Sound,  
Whose Bullets 'gainst the Batter'd Walls rebound.  
Methinks I see Great Troops of Glistering shields,  
And Prancing Horses Trampling o're the Fields.  
Methinks I see how Souldiers wounded lye,  
Witth Gasping Breath, and yet they cannot dye.

Astrological Observations.

*Finis coronat opus.*

Many Bloody Battels in Forreign Parts between the *Turkish* Forces and the Emperors, the *Polander* and the *Hangarians*, &c; and great Calamity follows thereby, as we shall receive daily Intelligence of the particulars thereof at large. God preserve the Kingdoms of *England*, *Scotland*, and *Ireland*, may they long continue in Peace and Plenty.---- The two Infertunes change their Signs this Month, and thereby portend a sudden change amongst some Persons of Note, who may expect about this time to lose their Honour, & patiently leave their Places of Preferment & Advantage---Perhaps their Lives too---*Qui ante non carere post dolebit.* The way to exalt a Troubled Kingdom is to make sure Persons shorter by the Head. Many are too apt to Dispute for---Priviledges of Revenge; But a quick dispatch soon cures such deserverate Disfeates---Good and pleasing News arrives from Forreign Parts about the end hereof; and the worthy Merchants of our Nation are in daily expectation of the happy Arrival of some long-look'd for Ships---*Deus ubique est.*

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D. OR & S. D. hour H. Wat.

13	50	9	10	42	1	A	48
23	49	11	3	2			38
33	49	12	25	3			29
43	49	1	A 1	1			20
53	48	2		8	5	At London Bridge.	12
63	48	3	5	5	2		2
73	48	4	4	5	51		51
83	48	5	38	7	40		40
93	47	6	28	3	32		32
103	47	7	18	2	24		24
113	47	8	20	10	26		26
123	47	9	10	11	15		15
133	47	10	4	12	8		8
143	47	11	58	1	M 2		2
153	48	12	51	1	5		5
163	48	1	50	2	54		54
173	48	2	41	3	49		49
183	49	3	M 43	4	10		10
193	49	4	36	4	42		42
203	49	5	30	5	36		36
213	49	6	21	6	26		26
223	50	7	16	7	20		20
233	51	8	10	8	14		14
243	51	9	48	8	52		52
253	52	10	26	9	30		30
263	53	11	56	10	0		0
273	41	12	38	10	44		44
283	44	1	26	11	30		30
293	59	2	15	12	19		19
303	56	3	8	1	12		12

July hath xxxi days.

Eng. Account. New Moon the 2 day, 29 min. past 2 in the afternoon.  
First Quarter the 9 day, 38 min. past 1 afternoon.  
Full Moon the 16 day, 30 min. past noon.  
Last Quarter the 24 day, 50 min. past 9 morning.

Eng. Account.	W.D.	Saints days and Weath.	The D. plac.	h	p	g	o	y	q	u	u	u	Moon Ris. and Set.
1	u	Fine cooling	6 5 24	2	18	13	20	*	17	16	1		30
2	a	showers at the	19 26	2	*	o	o	5	16				D Sets.
3	b	beginning here-	2 8 48	2	19	14	22	5	16	16	9	A	6
4	c	of, with some	16 23	2	19	15	23	6	16	16	9		38
5	d	refreshing	6 11 8	-	19	16	24	7	15	16	10		4
6	e	5 past Trin.	14 1	2	o	*	25	8	*	16	10		28
7	f	gales of wind,	27 6	2	20	17	*	9	14	16	10		48
8	g	not unseason-	12 14	2	20	□	26	9	□	16	11		8
9	a	able, after-	26 22	*	20	18	□	*	13	16	11		28
10	b	wards expect	10 30	2	*	Δ	28	11	Δ	16	11		40
11	c	pleasant Sum-	24 40	□	20	19	Δ	11	L	16	12		16
12	d	mer weather for	8 2 46	3	20	20	□	14	16	0		M	16
13	e	7 past Trin.	22 48	3	□	21	1	13	14	16	0		52
14	f	some few days,	6 42	Δ	21	21	2	Δ	14	16	1		39
15	g	St. Swithin.	20 2	3	Δ	o	3	14	o	16	2		33
16	a	and about the	3 52	3	21	23	o	15	1	16		D R. Set.	
17	b	full Moon an	17 4	3	21	23	5	15	16	16	8	A	44
18	c	Increase of heat	20 0	o	21	24	6	16	16	16	9		6
19	d	Dog days beg	12 36	3	22	25	7	o	Δ	6	9		28
20	e	8 past Trin.	14 58	4	o	Δ	8	17	1	6	2		46
21	f	and some few	7 1	4	22	26	Δ	17	15	16	10		5
22	g	claps of thunde	19 2	4	22	27	10	18	□	15	10		24
23	a	& Corruscations	o 55	Δ	22	□	11	15	21	15	10		40
24	b	in the Air.	12 34	4	23	28	□	Δ	23	15	10		58
25	c	St. James Ap	24 38	4	Δ	*	13	15	*	15	11		20
26	d	Thence to the end	5 41	□	23	29	14	□	6	15	1		50
27	e	9 past Trin.	18 58	4	□	30	*	15	7	15	12		26
28	f	no considerable	1 32	*	23	o	16	20	?	15	0	M	26
29	g	alteration un-	14 26	5	24	1	17	*	o	5	1		10
30	a	less now & then	27 45	5	*	o	17	20		5	2		6
31	b	a hasty shower.	11 26	5	29	2	o	20	4	5	3		10

In turn of *Time* all *Creatures* shall decay,  
(For *Time* it self in *Time* must pass away,)  
The Winged *Creatures* of the various *Skye*,  
The *Scaly* Troops which in the *Sages* lye;  
The *Heavens*, the *Earth*, and *Seas* shall *Burn* to nought,  
Not to that *Chaos*, whence they first were brought.

Month  
Days

☉ R. & S. ☽ Sour. H War.

Astrological Observations

*Magna veritas & prevalebit.*

There are not many Configurations of the Planets this Month, *Ecce* no great Action at present, yet certainly there are many weighty Consultations now on foot, and several Addresses made from Forreign Parts unto the Monarch of Great Britain, whom God Preserve in the midst of the greatest Danger. ---- I fear a sickly Season this Summer, and now about this time the greatest Danger may be expected: God preserve us from a Plague or general Mortality, which has been lately, and now is in many Places beyond the Seas: God direct it from England! I say no more of this matter ---- *Sed mors omnibus Communis.* Many Scandalous and False reports formented and abundance of Fraudulent Actions committed, notwithstanding the great care that is taken by Authority to prevent the same: on the other side there are some amongst us that make many plausible pretences out of design to attain their evil ends, but fall short of their expectation, ---- *Sed Deo nihil Occidit.*

At London Bridge.

August hath xxxi days.

Eng. Accou

New Moon the 1 day, 8 min. past 2 in the morning.  
First Quarter the 7 day, 38 min. past 7 in the afternoon.  
Full Moon the 15 day, 5 min. past 1 in the morning.  
Last Quarter the 23 day, 6 min. past 3 in the morning.  
New Moon the 30 day, 30 min. past 10 in the morning.

A.D.	WD.	Saints days and Weath.	the D plac.	☿	♈	♉	♊	♋	♌	♍	Moon Rises and Sets.			
1	C	Pleasant season-	25	♈	26	5	24	3	2	0	6 15			
2	D	able Harvest	9	34	♈	24	4	20	11	7 15	8 A	30		
3	C	10 past Trin.	24	10	♈	♂	4	11	5	9 15		48		
4	F	weather for the	3	36	♈	25	*	22	2	*	15 9		10	
5	G	most part, for	23	2	♈	25	6	*	21	13 15	9		31	
6	A	at least the first	7	m	20	*	25	□	24	21 15	15 9		56	
7	H	half of this	21	56	♈	*	7	□	*	□ 15	10		24	
8	C	Months, with	5	2	24	□	25	△	20	19 15	10		54	
9	D	gentle Breezes of	19	10	♈	□	8	27	□	△ 15	11		36	
10	F	11 past Trin.	2	W	45	△	26	9	△	20 23	15 12		24	
11	C	Wind and very	16	15	♈	26	10	25	△	25 14	0 M		24	
12	G	little Rain:	29	30	♈	△	11	30	15	27 14	1		25	
13	A	But about the	12	36	♈	26	♂	19	29	14 2			34	
14	H	fall of the Moon.	25	32	♈	27	12	♂	19	14 3			46	
15	C	you may expect	8	X	14	7	27	12	3	15 8	♂	14	Rises.	
16	D	some considera-	20	40	♈	27	13	4	♂	5 14	8 A		4	
17	F	3 V 10	3	V	10	7	♂	13	5	18 7	14 8		16	
18	C	sole change of	15	6	♈	28	△	6	17	9 14	8		31	
19	G	the Air, viz.	27	4	♈	28	14	7	16	11 14	8		50	
20	A	high Winds,	3	♂	55	△	25	15	△	16 14	9		8	
21	H	and in all	20	45	♈	28	□	5	△	15 14	9		28	
22	C	probability	2	II	32	□	△	16	10	15 17	14 9		50	
23	D	plenty of	14	38	♈	25	*	□	□	□ 14	10		22	
24	F	16 42	16	42	♈	□	18	15	14	21 14	11		2	
25	C	Showers with	2	♂	24	8	25	18	*	*	23 14	11		54
26	G	22 19	22	19	♈	29	19	14	12	*	14 10	M		54
27	A	much vari-	5	♈	41	8	*	♂	15	12 26	13 0			54
28	H	ety thence to	19	31	♈	30	20	15	11	28 13	2			14
29	C	Decol. Jo. Bap.	1	45	♈	30	21	16	5	20 13	3			14
30	D	the end.	18	28	♈	21	♂	10	2	13 7	2 Sets.			
31	F	1 Trin.	3	24	♈	9	♂	22	18	9 13	7 A			24



The Buzzing Bee that sings in Autumns Field,  
Doth from her Labour, Wax and Hony yield:  
Which to Mans Sences, many Comforts bring;  
Yet in her Tail there Lurks an Angry Sting.  
So Pleasure hath her Honey of desire,  
Inflaming Wax . dissolv'd in Follies fire.

Astrological Observations.

D. S. M. S. D. Sout. H. Wat

1	4	38	8	12	30	3	A	34
2	4	40	8	1	M	18	4	18
3	4	42	8	2		12	5	16
4	4	44	8	3		4	6	8
5	4	46	8	3		56	7	0
6	4	48	8	4		52	7	56
7	4	50	8	5		46	8	50
8	4	52	8	6		40	9	45
9	4	54	8	7		35	10	40
10	4	56	8	8		30	11	35
11	4	58	8	9		24	12	28
12	4	59	8	10		13	1	M 18
13	5	1	7	11		4	1	10
14	5	3	7	12		46	3	2
15	5	5	7	1		46	3	50
16	5	6	7	0		46	4	4
17	5	8	7	1		31	4	35
18	5	10	7	2		14	5	18
19	5	12	7	2		56	6	0
20	5	14	7	3		36	6	40
21	5	16	7	4		20	7	24
22	5	18	7	5		6	8	10
23	5	20	7	5		54	8	58
24	5	22	7	6		42	9	46
25	5	24	7	7		34	10	38
26	5	26	7	8		26	11	30
27	5	28	7	9		18	12	22
28	5	30	7	10		10	1	A 14
29	5	31	7	11		2	2	6
30	5	33	7	11		58	3	2
31	5	35	7	12		56	4	C

At London Bridge.

*Cæcus de coloribus nē judicat.**Let him that stands beware lest that he falls,**Let him that's fall n hope he may rise again:**The Providence Divine that mixeth all,**Chains Joy to Grief by turns, and loss to gain.*

We have not so many *Oppositions* of the *Planets* the two first Months of the year, but here are as many varieties of *Conjunctions* in this and the succeeding Months--which must needs put forward the effects of the late *Conjunctions* of the *Superiors*, of which so much has lately been written.--- Those Persons amongst us that make the greatest Profession of Religion appear dissatisfied, and frequently Complain of Oppression and Persecution; and the Common People Judge of Persons and Things by the Issue and Event. Our Miseries may inform us that God is offended, and a various Lust divides the whole World.--- Now there are many difficult Councils agitated, and great are the Consultations of these times; the effects whereof will very suddenly appear. Many must be content to Labour under their various Calamities and Misfortunes, and yet hope to see better days. *Pulvis & umbra Sumus.*



# S E P T E M B E R 1684.

Now may the *Flocks* Securely range at large,  
 For *Jove* himself of them hath taken charge.  
 Now tender *Lambs* may Skip out of their Pens  
 Whilst *Romish Tygers* Lurk within their Dens;  
 Like wandering Spirits 'midst the Darksome night,  
 Whose Apparitions do abhor the light.

Month days

D. ☉ R. & S. D Sout. H. Wat.

Astrological Observations.

44	1	5	37	7	1	A	52	4	A	56	<i>Nec bonam nec malum Fortunam</i>
6	2	5	40	7	2		49	5		54	<i>ferre potest.----</i>
32	3	5	42	7	3		46	6		50	<i>There is a Chain of Causes and the</i>
4	4	5	44	7	4		43	7		48	<i>Stars</i>
40	5	5	56	7	5		40	8		44	<i>Sub Deo Smil our Peace or frown us</i>
26	6	5	48	7	6		35	9		38	<i>Wars.</i>
22	7	5	50	7	7		28	10		32	<i>Truth told unseasonably becomes a</i>
28	8	5	51	7	8		21	11		25	<i>Crime,</i>
28	9	5	53	7	9		14	12		18	<i>And the Artist ought well still to</i>
38	10	5	57	7	10		4	1	M	8	<i>weigh his time.</i>
0	11	5	59	7	10		50	1		54	<i>The Motion of a Superior Planet</i>
2	12	5	1	6	11		34	2		38	<i>out of one Sign into another is very</i>
6	13	6	2	6	12		16	3		20	<i>considerable, Now Jove has left his</i>
3	14	6	3	6	0	M	16	3		36	<i>Detriment and is entred into the Sign</i>
3	15	6	4	6	0		59	4		4	<i>of Justice, there Saluted by Royal-Sol,</i>
0	16	6	6	6	1		42	4		46	<i>and the Configurations are very Bene-</i>
2	17	6	8	6	2		24	5		30	<i>volent: Now let us hope well, for</i>
5	18	6	10	6	3		12	6		16	<i>pleasing News suddenly breaks out,</i>
5	19	6	12	6	3		58	7		4	<i>to the great Satisfaction of the Sub-</i>
	20	6	14	6	4		48	7		52	<i>jects in general---after a Storm comes</i>
	21	6	16	6	5		37	8		42	<i>a Calm, and the Heavens begin to</i>
	22	6	18	6	6		28	9		32	<i>Smile upon us; also, Matters now ap-</i>
	23	6	20	6	7		18	10		24	<i>pear in a very calme and hopeful po-</i>
	24	6	22	6	8		10	11		14	<i>sture---God grant they may long con-</i>
	25	6	24	6	9		2	12		6	<i>tinue so. Welcom News arrives towards</i>
	26	6	26	6	9		55	1	M	0	<i>the end hereof to the Industrious Mer-</i>
	27	6	28	6	10		49	1		54	<i>chant of several Rich Laden Ships</i>
	28	6	30	6	11		44	2		48	<i>approaching; and now this very month</i>
	29	6	31	6	12		40	3		45	<i>Honour is conferred up n some Noble</i>
	30	6	32	6	1	A	38	4		42	<i>Hero amongst us as a reward of his</i>

At London Bridge.

*Nec bonam nec malum Fortunam ferre potest.----*  
*There is a Chain of Causes and the Stars*  
*Sub Deo Smil our Peace or frown us Wars.*  
*Truth told unseasonably becomes a Crime,*  
*And the Artist ought well still to weigh his time.*  
*The Motion of a Superior Planet out of one Sign into another is very considerable, Now Jove has left his Detriment and is entred into the Sign of Justice, there Saluted by Royal-Sol, and the Configurations are very Benevolent: Now let us hope well, for pleasing News suddenly breaks out, to the great Satisfaction of the Subjects in general---after a Storm comes a Calm, and the Heavens begin to Smile upon us; also, Matters now appear in a very calme and hopeful posture---God grant they may long continue so. Welcom News arrives towards the end hereof to the Industrious Merchant of several Rich Laden Ships approaching; and now this very month Honour is conferred up n some Noble Hero amongst us as a reward of his Desert. An abatement of Sicknes and Diseases may be discover'd by the Bills of Mortality about this time, and now the Peoples Spirits begin to be up again, God continue it. Mortis hora incerta.*

# October hath xxxi days.

First Quarter the 5 day 29 min. past 9 in the morn.  
 Full Moon the 13 day 12 min. past 9 in the morning.  
 Last Quarter the 21 day 10 min. past 11 morning.  
 New Moon the 28 day 50 min. past 4 in the morning.

M.D.	W.C.	Saints dayes and Weath.	The D plac.	h	♄	♅	♆	♇	♈	♉	♊	♋	♌	♍	Moon Ri. and Ser.
1	a	The first week	27	m	12	12	*	11	19	9	14	27	A		12
2	b	keverif should	11	I	50	□	7	□	26	□	15	127			48
3	c	produce much	26	4	13	□	13	*	10	16	128				32
4	d	variety of	9	W	51	△	8	△	22	△	17	119			26
5	e	10 day Trin.	23	15	13	8	14	□	11	*	11	10			30
6	f	weather, viz.	6	W	11	15	△	15	24	11	18	11			36
7	g	Cold and Clen-	9		13	8	15	△	12	7	11	12			44
8	a	dy and Brisk	1	X	36	3	8	16	26	15	19	11	0	M	44
9	b	showers of Rain	13	50	♂	9	♂	27	♂	△	11	1			54
10	c	in many places,	26	10	13	9	17	28	14	19	11	3			2
11	d	but about the	8	V	1	14	♂	18	19	15	19	11	4		15
12	e	Full Moon,	20	1	14	9	18	30	15	2	11	5			28
13	f	much tempe-	2	♂	1	14	9	19	♂	16	19	11	2		50
14	g	rate for a short	14	8	△	10	△	m	△	♂	11	5	A		16
15	a	time, and af	26	0	4	10	20	3	18	18	11	6			42
16	b	terwards the	7	II	5	14	△	21	4	15	17	11	6		12
17	c	terwards the	19	50	□	10	□	5	□	17	11	7			40
18	d	1. LUNE. 1. 11.	1	5	14	11	22	△	20	16	11	7			10
19	e	2. 1. 11. Trin.	14	8	*	□	23	7	21	△	1	8			18
20	f	weather va-	26	38	14	11	*	8	*	13	11	9			40
21	g	ries often,	9	2	14	*	24	17	23	□	11	10			54
22	a	though Mode-	22	30	15	11	24	10	24	10	11	1			26
23	b	1. 1. 11. 1. 11.	6	W	12	15	12	25	*	25	*	10			26
24	c	ately Sea-	20	20	5	12	♂	12	♂	6	10	0	M		58
25	d		4	50	15	♂	25	12	26	5	10	2			24
26	e	22. 1. 11. 1. 11.	20	8	15	12	27	11	27	4	10	1			50
27	f	sonable for	5	m	10	15	12	27	15	28	5	10			50
28	g	1. 1. 11. 1. 11.	20	30	*	13	*	♂	25	4	10	2	Rising.		44
29	a	the most part,	6	I	30	15	*	29	17	*	4	10			28
30	b	yet no want of	20	34	□	13	29	18	2	4	10	5			18
31	c	wind and Rain.	5	2	△	□	19	□	*	10	7				

Strange are the Plagues, far stranger are the Crimes,  
Most strangely Plotted in these Modern Times;  
Are these Devotions? Nay, Delusions,  
Distractions, and their own Confusions:  
Exirpate Traitors! Oh Heavens Expel  
The Crafty Counsels of Aconitophel.

D.	○	R.&S	D	Sour.	H.	Wat.
1	6	35	2	A	35	5 A 38
2	5	38	3		30	6 35
3	6	40	4		29	7 32
4	6	42	5		24	8 30
5	6	44	6		22	9 26
6	6	46	7		16	10 21
7	6	48	8		08	11 12
8	6	50	9		50	11 56
9	6	52	10		36	12 40
10	6	54	11		20	1 M 24
11	6	56	12		06	2 6
12	6	58	1		44	2 48
13	7	0	2		26	3 34
14	7	2	3	M	26	3 46
15	7	4	4		15	4 18
16	7	6	5		05	4 4
17	7	8	6		46	5 50
18	7	10	7		35	6 40
19	7	12	8		20	7 30
20	7	14	9		16	8 20
21	7	16	10		8	9 10
22	7	18	11		0	10 4
23	7	20	12		52	10 56
24	7	21	1		41	11 48
25	7	23	2		36	12 40
26	7	24	3	10	28	1 A 32
27	7	26	4	11	22	2 26
28	7	28	5	12	11	3 26
29	7	30	6	1 A	23	4 28
30	7	31	7	52	26	5 30
31	7	32	8	53	26	6 29

## Astronomical Observations.

*Que Supra nos nihil ad nos.*

Death knocks as boldly at the Rich-  
mans door,

As at the Cottage of the Poor. Horac.

Many are the Configurations of the  
Planets this Month, in the Signs *Virgo*  
and *Scorpio*, worth the Observation of  
such Persons that have those Signs *He-  
scopical*; But that which is most consi-  
derable, is the Malevolent Conjunction  
of *Saturn* and *Mars*---as also the Con-  
junction of *Venus*, with both the infor-  
tunes---What worthy Lady or Person  
of great Quality, of the Female Sex  
suffers now? This will certainly prove  
a Month of much Action, many evils  
are portended, Quarrels, Duels, Mur-  
ders, and Debauchery in the Superla-  
tive degree, we may assuredly expect  
to hear of, and many will find the sad  
effects thereof to their great prejudice;  
amongst the rest good News arrives,  
and now some of our sons are advanced,  
though at the same time others most  
Resolutely run themselves into Ruin  
and Destruction---The High-Ways  
more then ordinary Infested with De-  
perado's and much loss and Dismen-  
t sustained thereby, but in the end *Catch*  
cures them of all Diseases.

At London Bridge.

# November hath xxx days.

Log. Account

First Quarter the 4 day 24 mln. past 2 in the morning  
Full Moon the 12 day, 40 min. past 3 Morning.  
Last Quarter the 19 day, 28 min. past 11 at night.  
New Moon the 26 day, 56min. past 2 afternoon.

M.D.	W.D.	Saints days and Weath.	The D plac.	h m	4 m	8 m	12 m	16 m	20 m	24 m	28 m	Moon R. and Set.
1	d	All Saints.	50	W	0	Δ	13	C	*	3	4	108 A 16
2	c	All Souls.	2	W	38	15	13	Δ	21	Δ	□	109 25
3	f	Moderately	15	4	15	Δ	2	22	5	D	10	35
4	g	Seasonable	28	30	16	14	2	15	6	Δ	10	44
5	a	Sun Pow. Tr.	10	X	58	8	14	3	24	7	5	10 54
6	b	at the begin-	23	14	16	14	3	Δ	8	6	10	0 M 54
7	c	ing and so it	5	V	18	16	14	8	26	8	6	10 2 2
8	d	hould con-	17	16	16	8	5	27	9	7	10	3 10
9	e	24 past Trin.	29	10	16	15	5	28	10	8	10	4 20
10	f	tinne with-	11	8	2	Δ	15	6	29	11	8	10 5 31
11	g	out any No-	22	58	16	15	6	7	12	11	9	6 42
12	a	table varia-	1	II	54	16	15	Δ	8	13	12	9 B Rises.
13	b	tion till near	16	54	□	Δ	8	2	Δ	14	9	5 A 12
14	c	the Full Moon,	29	C	16	10	8	3	16	15	9	5 50
15	d	then expect Col	11	5	12	*	□	□	4	17	Δ	9 6 42
16	e	25 past Trin.	23	38	16	16	9	5	□	18	9	7 41
17	f	Blasts of wind	5	Q	15	16	16	*	Δ	20	19	9 8 48
18	g	and probably	19	7	16	*	11	7	*	□	9	9 53
19	a	some Rain or	2	W	15	17	17	11	□	22	22	9 11 5
20	b	Snow, which	15	58	5	17	12	9	23	24	9	12 18
21	c	continues not	29	44	17	17	12	10	24	*	5	0 M 18
22	d	long, also	14	4	17	8	8	*	25	27	9	1 38
23	e	26 past Trin.	28	42	17	17	14	12	8	28	9	3 2
24	f	Morning Frosts,	13	m	38	*	17	14	13	27	30	9 4 30
25	g	and towards	28	47	17	18	15	14	28	8	9	6 4
26	a	the end nota-	13	2	46	□	*	*	8	30	2	9 D Sets
27	b	ble sharp Air	28	42	17	18	16	16	*	4	9	4 A 48
28	c	in earnest.	13	W	15	Δ	□	□	17	11	6	9 5 50
29	d	Term ends.	27	20	17	18	17	18	□	8	9	6 58
30	e	St. Andr. Ap	11	W	10	17	Δ	Δ	*	4	*	8 8 12

Now since Oh *Albion*! *Jove* hath full Decreed,  
To send thee Succour at thy Extream need;  
Shrowding thee under, his All-covering Wing,  
And still Protecting thee from Sorrows Sting:  
Be grateful therefore to his Sovereign might,  
Who always held thee Gracious in his Sight.

D.	○R.&S.	D	Sour.	H. War.	Monthly Observations
17	34	54	A	227	A 26
27	36	55		163	20
37	38	55		69	10
47	39	56		529	56
57	40	57		3610	40
67	42	58		2111	24
77	43	59		512	5
87	45	59		451	M 4
97	45	510		301	35
107	48	511		142	18
117	49	511		563	C
127	50	512		403	45
137	52	50	M	403	55
147	53	51		304	34
157	55	52		205	24
167	56	53		105	15
177	57	54		57	6
187	58	54		507	54
197	59	55		408	44
208	0	45		289	33
218	1	47		1810	22
228	2	48		1011	15
238	3	49		812	12
248	4	410		61	A 10
258	5	411		22	6
268	6	411		583	3
278	6	412		543	59
288	7	41A		504	54
298	8	42		415	50
308	8	43		45	46

*Nos aliam Ex aliis:*

Few men the Clouds of Error can re-  
move,

And know what ill t'avoid, what good  
to Love. Juven. Sat

Those grave and prudent Persons  
that sit at the Stern of Publick Affairs,  
by their great Wifdoms do now begin  
to Settle and Compose the present  
Grievances and Differences that we  
have long Laboured under, I say, they  
earnestly endeavour it, *tantum quan-  
tum*, to the utmost of their Power  
yet some Irregularities remain amongst  
those Persons that pretend most to Re-  
ligion--we must not think the happiest  
of us all to escape in this World with-  
out our share of some Misfortune--  
and this is a certain truth; As in Hu-  
mane Bodies there be divers Alterati-  
ons proceeding from Humours, &c. &  
there be many Diseases and Mutation-  
attend a Kingdom or Common wealth  
Every man Indeavours Principally to  
promte his own Designs and Interest  
and with the Learned *Burton* I may  
say our *Summum bonum* is Commodity,  
and the Goddess we adore *Dæmonia*,  
Queen Mony, to whom we daily offer  
Sacrifice, which steers our hearts  
hands and affections, &c. and our  
Censures are as Various as our Palates,  
What can any man say that has not  
been said?

December hath xxxi days.

First Quarter the 3 day, 58 min. past 5 at Night.  
Full Moon the 11 day, 30 min. past 10 at Night.  
Last Quarter the 15 day, 48 min. past 10 in the Morn.  
New Moon the 26 day, 40 min. past 2 in the morn.

Dr. Account. M.D.	WD	Saints days and Weath.	The D plac.	h	U	σ	☉	☿	♀	♂	Moon R.	and Serr.
1	f	Binstering	24	25	17	Δ	Δ	20	5	11	3	A 20
2	g	winds with	7	X	16	17	19	19	21	Δ	8	30
3	a	Snow or Rain	19	46	8	19	20	□	8	14	3	42
4	b	should usher in	2	Y	17	19	20	24	9	15	3	50
5	c	this Month, als	14	2	17	8	21	25	10	Δ	8	M 50
6	d	a cold cloudy	25	56	17	19	8	Δ	11	18	3	58
7	e	2 Advent.	7	8	46	17	15	21	27	8	21	3
8	f	dark air (tho	9	46	Δ	19	22	28	13	22	8	10
9	g	moderately Se-	1	II	24	17	20	23	29	14	23	5
10	a	sonable) and	13	35	□	Δ	24	30	16	25	8	34
11	b	about the Full	25	44	17	20	Δ	8	17	8	8	18
12	c	Moon much	8	5	4	*	20	25	17	18	28	8
13	d	more tempe-	20	32	17	□	26	3	Δ	29	8	10
14	e	rate for some	2	1	17	20	□	4	20	17	8	20
15	f	few days,	15	10	17	*	27	5	□	3	8	34
16	g	afterwards	29	18	17	21	*	6	23	Δ	8	52
17	a	expect much	12	38	8	21	28	Δ	24	6	8	10
18	b	variety of	26	19	17	21	28	8	*	7	8	30
19	c	the month.	10	4	17	21	29	□	26	□	7	M 30
20	d	winterly wea-	24	8	17	8	10	27	11	7	0	54
21	e	ther, viz. Snow	8	m	26	17	21	m	*	8	7	16
22	f	or cold Rain	22	58	*	21	0	12	30	14	7	40
23	g	St. Thomas	7	2	36	17	21	1	13	2	15	10
24	a	St. Steven	22	16	□	*	2	14	2	17	7	36
25	b	St. John	6	52	17	21	*	15	3	19	7	32
26	c	Innocents day	22	18	Δ	□	3	8	5	8	7	34
27	d	with some Frost	5	24	17	22	□	17	*	22	7	46
28	e	to the end of	19	8	17	Δ	4	18	7	23	7	2
29	f	the year.	2	X	30	17	22	Δ	19	□	25	20
30	g		15	25	8	22	5	*	9	27	7	
31	a		28	10	17	22	6	21	10	*	7	



# DECEMBER 1684.

Month days.

Envy go hang; The Viperous word's no Law,  
Thy *Toad-like* Swelling look's not worth a Straw.  
Thou canst not now Defame, Depose, Deprive;  
Truth Scales thy Walls thy Kingdom cannot Thrive:  
Shee now Dispells white Vizards from thy Face,  
And elivates her Throne by thy disgrace.

D.	☉	R.&S	D	Sour	H. Wat
18	9	4	4	7	A 41
28	10	4	5	28	30
38	11	4	6	129	16
48	12	4	6	549	59
58	12	4	7	34	10 35
68	13	4	8	10	11 15
78	13	4	8	55	12 0
88	13	4	9	42	12 46
98	13	4	10	3	1 M 34
108	13	4	11	2	2 24
118	13	4	12	8	3 12
128	13	4	0	M 8	3 36
138	13	4	0	56	4 0
148	13	4	1	46	4 50
158	13	4	2	34	5 32
168	13	4	3	24	6 28
178	13	4	4	12	7 16
188	13	4	5	2	8 6
198	12	4	5	5	8 55
208	12	4	6	40	9 45
218	12	4	7	32	10 35
228	12	4	8	28	11 32
238	12	4	9	28	12 32
248	11	4	10	29	1 A 33
258	10	4	11	28	2 31
268	9	4	12	2	3 28
278	9	4	1	A 16	4 21
288	8	4	2	6	5 10
298	7	4	2	5	6 0
308	6	4	3	4	5 48
318	5	4	4	30	7 34

## Astrological Observations.

Amicus Plato, Amicus Socrates,  
Sed magis amica Veritas.

*The Wise Creator from our knowledge hides,  
The end of Future times in Darkness night,  
False thoughts of Mortals he denies;  
When them, vain toys affright.* Hor

This month is attended with much variety in the Configurations of the *Planets* and consequently as various should the Actions and Transactions be in Mundane Affairs; 'tis too much Presumption and unsafe for the most forward *Astrologers* to be particular; neither is it necessary, if 'twere possible to be absolutely positive----

*For in s'abstruse an Art can any write  
Still so exactly as to hit the White? (fall,  
Our Brains caught such a bruise by Adams  
We know but darkly Sin, or not at all.*

But this I may safely Conjecture, that amongst our selves, we are now in reasonable good Order, and I hope, by the Care and Prudence of our Superiors, we may yet continue so, notwithstanding the secret Plotings, Sham-Plotings and Conspiracies, which this Nation has been too lately Miraculously preserved, for God is above the Devil, and they cannot prevail. God preserve his Majesties Sacred Person (and all the Royal Family) and Grant him a Long and Prosperous Reign, Amen.

A Table of Houses for the Latitude of London, 51 d. 32 min

Sol in Aries.

Time from Noon	10	11	12	Afcen.	2	3
	Y	8	5	5	௨	௩
H.M.	gr.	gr.	gr.	Gr.M.	gr.	gr.
●	8	2	15	0	28	2
0	15	4	17	2	29	19
0	22	6	20	3	௨	40
0	29	8	22	5	2	0
0	37	10	24	7	3	19
0	44	12	26	8	4	38
0	51	14	28	10	5	57
0	59	16	II	11	7	15
I	6	18	2	13	8	35
I	14	20	4	14	9	53
I	21	22	6	16	11	12
I	29	24	8	17	12	32
I	36	26	10	19	13	52
I	44	28	12	20	15	24
I	52	30	14	22	16	31

Sol in Taurus.

Time from Noon	8	II	௧	Afc.	௨	௩
	௪	II	௧	Afc.	௨	௩
1	59	2	15	23	17	51
2	7	4	18	25	19	12
2	15	6	20	26	20	32
2	22	8	22	28	21	54
2	30	10	24	29	23	16
2	38	12	26	௨	24	38
2	46	14	28	2	26	0
2	54	16	29	4	27	24
3	2	18	69	5	28	47
3	10	20	3	7	௨	13
3	18	22	5	8	1	37
3	26	24	7	10	3	24
3	35	26	9	11	4	29
3	43	28	10	13	5	55
3	51	30	12	14	7	2

Sol in Gemini.

Time from Noon	10	11	12	Afcen.	2	3
	II	௧	௨	௩	௩	௨
4	0	2	14	16	8	50
4	8	4	16	17	10	18
4	16	6	18	19	11	47
4	25	8	19	20	13	10
4	33	10	21	22	14	46
4	42	12	23	24	16	16
4	51	14	25	25	17	46
4	59	16	27	27	19	17
5	8	18	28	28	20	49
5	16	20	௨	30	22	20
5	25	22	2	௩	23	51
5	34	24	4	3	25	23
5	43	26	6	5	26	55
5	51	28	8	6	28	27
6	0	30	9	8	30	0

Sol in Cancer.

Time from Noon	௧	௨	௩	Afc.	௨	௩
	௧	௨	௩	Afc.	௨	௩
6	8	2	11	10	1	33
6	17	4	13	11	3	5
6	26	6	15	13	4	37
6	35	8	17	14	6	9
6	44	10	18	16	7	40
6	52	12	20	17	9	12
7	1	14	22	19	10	43
7	9	16	24	21	12	14
7	18	18	26	22	13	45
7	27	20	27	24	15	14
7	35	22	29	25	16	44
7	44	24	௩	27	18	14
7	52	26	3	29	19	42
8	0	28	5	௨	21	10
8	5	30	6	2	22	38

A Table of Houses for the Latitude of *London*, 51 d. 32 min.

Sol in Leo.

Time from Noon	10	11	12	Afcen.	2	3
	♌	♍	♎	♏	♐	♑
H. M.	gr.	gr.	gr.	Gr. M.	gr.	gr.
17	2	3	3	24	5	17
25	4	10	5	25	32	19
37	6	12	6	26	58	20
42	8	13	8	28	23	22
50	10	15	9	29	42	23
58	12	17	11	1m	13	25
6	14	18	12	2	36	26
14	16	20	14	4	0	28
22	18	22	15	5	22	29
30	20	24	17	6	45	3
38	22	25	18	8	6	2
46	24	27	19	9	28	4
53	26	29	21	10	48	5
1	28	31	22	12	9	7
8	30	2	22	12	20	8

Sol in Virgo.

Time from Noon	♍	♎	♏	Afcen.	m	2	3
10	16	2	3	25	14	49	10
10	24	4	5	26	16	5	11
10	31	6	7	28	17	28	13
10	39	8	8	29	18	48	14
10	46	10	10	m	20	0	15
11	54	12	11	2	21	26	17
11	1	14	13	3	22	45	19
11	9	16	15	5	24	4	20
11	16	18	16	6	24	23	22
11	23	20	18	7	25	41	23
11	31	22	20	9	28	125	8
11	38	24	21	10	29	20	27
11	45	26	22	11	0	39	28
11	53	28	24	13	2	30	15
12	0	30	26	14	3	19	2

Sol in Libra.

Time from Noon	10	11	12	Afcen.	2	3
	♎	♏	♐	♑	♒	♓
H. M.	gr.	gr.	gr.	G. M.	gr.	gr.
12	7	2	27	15	4	40
12	15	4	29	17	6	2
12	22	6	m	18	7	24
12	29	8	2	19	8	46
12	37	10	3	21	10	10
12	44	12	5	22	11	35
12	51	14	6	24	12	59
12	59	16	8	25	14	26
13	6	18	9	26	15	54
13	14	20	11	28	17	23
13	21	22	13	29	18	54
13	29	24	14	3	20	26
13	46	26	16	2	22	1
13	44	28	18	3	23	37
13	52	30	19	5	25	15

Sol in Scorpio.

Time from Noon	♐	♑	♒	Afcen.	2	3
13	59	2	21	6	26	56
14	7	4	22	8	28	39
14	15	6	24	9	0	24
14	22	8	25	11	2	13
14	30	10	27	12	4	6
14	38	12	29	14	6	1
14	46	14	3	16	8	0
14	54	16	2	17	10	6
15	2	18	4	19	12	14
15	10	20	5	20	14	29
15	18	22	7	22	16	46
15	26	24	9	24	19	11
15	35	26	10	26	21	43
15	43	28	12	28	24	24
15	51	30	14	30	27	10

# A Table of Houses for the Latitude of London, 51 d. 32 m.

## Sol in Sagittary.

Time from Noon	10	11	12	Alcen.	2	3
	♌	♍	♎	♏	♐	♑
H. M.	gr.	gr.	gr.	Gr. M.	gr.	gr.
16	02	16	1	0	60	13
16	84	18	3	3	114	15
16	166	19	5	6	279	17
16	258	21	8	9	5213	20
16	331	23	10	13	30	1723
16	4212	25	12	17	19	2126
16	5114	27	14	21	20	2529
16	5916	29	17	25	32	♐ II
17	818	♎1	19	29	58	33
17	1620	3	22	4	♎38	5
17	2522	5	24	9	2	118
17	3424	7	27	14	2	1410
17	4326	9	30	19	30	1812
17	5128	11	♎3	24	39	1114
18	5930	13	♎	30	0	2417

## Sol in Aquary.

Time from Noon	10	11	12	Alcen.	2	3
	♈	♉	♊	♋	♌	♍
H. M.	gr.	gr.	gr.	G. M.	gr.	gr.
20	172	23	9	5	372	18
20	254	26	13	8	14	20
20	346	29	17	10	45	621
20	428	♎1	21	13	10	323
20	5010	4	25	15	32	925
20	5812	7	29	17	46	1126
21	614	10	♎3	19	56	1328
21	1316	13	6	22	0	1430
21	2218	16	10	23	59	16♎1
21	3020	19	13	25	55	183
21	3822	22	16	27	47	195
21	4524	25	19	29	37	216
21	5226	27	22	1	22	228
22	128	♎	25	3	5	2410
22	830	3	27	4	45	2511

## Sol in Capricorn.

Time from Noon	♏	♐	♑	Alc.	♒	♓	II
18	82	16	9	5	19	27	19
18	174	18	12	10	29	II	21
18	266	20	16	15	37	3	23
18	358	23	19	20	35	6	25
18	4410	25	23	25	23	8	27
18	5212	27	27	30	0	11	29
19	114	♎1	♎	♎	27	13	♎1
19	916	2	5	8	39	16	3
19	1818	5	9	12	42	18	5
19	2720	7	13	16	31	20	7
19	3522	10	17	20	5	22	9
19	4424	12	21	23	33	25	11
19	5226	15	26	26	47	27	12
20	028	18	♎	29	53	29	14
20	930	20	♎	2	II	50	16

## Sol in Pices.

Time from Noon	♈	♉	♊	Alc.	♋	♌	♍
22	162	6	0	6	23	27	13
22	244	9	2	8	0	28	14
22	316	12	5	9	35	27	16
22	398	14	7	11	7	♎1	17
22	4610	17	9	12	37	2	19
22	5312	20	11	14	7	4	21
23	114	23	14	15	35	5	22
23	916	25	16	17	1	6	24
23	1618	28	18	18	26	8	25
23	2320	♎	19	19	52	9	27
23	3122	3	21	21	15	11	28
23	3824	5	23	22	57	12	♎
23	4526	8	25	23	59	13	1
23	5328	10	27	25	21	15	3
24	030	13	28	26	42	16	4

# The Second Part of Coley's Almanack for 1684.

A Synopsis of all the Mutual Aspects of the Planets throughout each Month of this present Year 1684.

Asp. in Jan.	D.	Signs	Asp. in May.	D.	Signs	Asp. in Sept.	D.	Signs
Δ ⊙ & ♀	2	♌ Ⅴ	♂ ⊙ & ♀	1	♈ —	♂ ♀ & ♀	1	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ♀ & ♂	3	♌ Ⅴ	□ ♀ & ♀	4	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ⊙ & ♀	15	♌ Ⅴ
Δ ♀ & ♀	5	♌ Ⅴ	□ ⊙ & ♀	7	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♂ & ♀	21	♌ Ⅴ
⊙ Ecl. Invis	5	Ⅴ	♂ ♂ & ♀	8	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	21	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ⊙ & ♀	9	Ⅴ	♂ ♀ & ♀	11	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♂ & ♀	24	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ♀ & ♀	23	♌ Ⅴ	□ ♀ & ♀	12	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	29	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ♀ & ♂	27	♌ Ⅴ	♂ ♀ & ♀	19	♏ Ⅵ	Asp. in Oct. D. Signs		
♂ ♀ & ♀	28	♌ Ⅴ	□ ⊙ & ♀	24	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♂	3	♌ Ⅴ
Asp. in Febr.	D.	Signs	♂ ♀ & ♀	31	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	9	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ♀ & ♀	7	♌ Ⅴ	Asp. in June D. Signs			♂ ♂ & ♀	13	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ⊙ & ♀	8	♌ Ⅴ	♂ ⊙ & ♂	7	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	15	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ♀ & ♀	10	♌ Ⅴ	♂ ⊙ & ♀	10	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	19	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ♀ & ♀ R	20	♌ Ⅴ	♂ ♀ & ♂	11	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ⊙ & ♀	22	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ⊙ & ♀	23	♌ Ⅴ	♂ Ecl. vis.	17	Ⅴ	♂ ♂ & ♀	25	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ⊙ & ♀	26	♌ Ⅴ	♂ ♀ & ♀	28	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ⊙ & ♀	27	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ♂ & ♀	28	Ⅴ	♂ ♀ & ♀	29	♏ Ⅵ	Asp. in Nov. D. Signs		
Asp. in Mar.	D.	Signs	♂ ⊙ & ♀	30	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	13	♌ Ⅴ
Δ ♀ & ♀	9	Ⅴ Ⅵ	Asp. in July D. Signs			♂ ♀ & ♀	19	♌ Ⅴ
Δ ♀ & ♂	15	Ⅴ Ⅵ	⊙ Ecl. Invis.	2	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ⊙ & ♂	26	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ♀ & ♀	22	♌ Ⅴ	♂ ♂ & ♀	4	♏ Ⅵ	□ ⊙ & ♀	27	♌ Ⅴ
Δ ♀ & ♀	25	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♂	12	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ⊙ & ♀	29	♌ Ⅴ
♂ ♀ & ♀	24	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	18	♏ Ⅵ	Asp. in Dec. D. Signs		
Asp. in Apr.	D.	Signs	♂ ♀ & ♀	24	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♂	1	♌ Ⅴ
Δ ♀ & ♀	2	♏ Ⅵ	Asp. in Aug. D. Signs			□ ♀ & ♀	5	♌ Ⅴ
Δ ♀ & ♂	5	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ⊙ & ♀	14	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	6	♌ Ⅴ
Δ ⊙ & ♀	6	Ⅴ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	17	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♂ & ♀	8	♌ Ⅴ
□ ♀ & ♀	15	Ⅵ Ⅶ	♂ ⊙ & ♀	19	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	11	♌ Ⅴ
Δ ♀ & ♀	19	Ⅴ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	21	♏ Ⅵ	♂ Ecl. vis.	11	♏ Ⅵ
Δ ⊙ & ♀	22	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ⊙ & ♀	25	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ⊙ & ♀	19	Ⅴ
□ ♀ & ♂	24	♏ Ⅵ	♂ ♀ & ♀	29	♏ Ⅵ	Δ ♀ & ♀	24	♏ Ⅵ
Δ ♀ & ♀	27	♏ Ⅵ				⊙ Ecl. Invis	26	Ⅴ
♂ ♀ & ♀	28	Ⅵ Ⅶ				□ ♀ & ♀	27	Ⅴ Ⅵ
						Δ ⊙ & ♀	27	Ⅴ Ⅵ
						♂ ♀ & ♀	31	Ⅴ Ⅵ

*A brief Chronological Account of some things worthy  
of Note since the Birth of Christ to this present Year, 1684.*

Since the Birth of Christ 1684	K. Charles the I. murdered—36
Christ died on the Cross 1651	Duke Hamilton, L. Capel, and E. of Holland were beheaded 36
Rome burnt by the command of Nero ————— 1622	Worcester fight Sept. 3. ——— 33
England first received the Chri- stian Faith ————— 1507	Cromwell died Sept. 3. ——— 26
Scotland first received the Christian Faith ————— 1481	Gen. Monk marched to Lon. 25
The Tower of Lon. built 1115	King Charles II. arrived in Lon- don, May 29. ————— 24
Cambridge was made an Uni- versity ————— 1049	Harrison and the rest of the Regicides were executed at Charing Cross ————— 24
The Danes first came into Eng- land ————— 666	K. Charles II. crown'd 23 Apr. 23
Westminster-Hall built ——— 584	King Charles II. married ——— 22
The Conquest of England by D. William the Conqueror 616	The first great Sea-fight with the Dutch ————— 19
Pear's Church in Lon. built 598	The great Plague in London whereof died 68586 in that year, in all 97351. ——— 19
Lon. Bridge built with stone 495	The great Fire in London on Sept. 2, 3, and 4, which con- sumed 13200 houses ——— 18
The first Mayor of London 494	The D. of Albemarle died ——— 14
The Order of the Garter insti- tuted ————— 340	London rebuilt ————— 13
Guns were invented ——— 244	Since the English fought the Dutch at Sea, under the con- duct of his Highness P. Rup. 10
Coaches first invented in Eng- land ————— 146	Last Peace concluded with the Dutch ————— 10
The Royal Exch. first built 119	600 Houses burnt in Southw. 8
A Plague in London whereof died 30598. ————— 81	The Discovery of the Popish Plot ————— 6
The Gunpowder treason No- vemb. 5. ————— 79	Edw. Colman, W. Ireland, John Gruen, & Tho. Pickering exe- cuted for Treason in the late Plot ————— 6
A Plague in London, whereof died 35418 ————— 54	Rob. Gutz, H. Berry, & L. Hill, executed for murdering Sir Edmond. Godfrey ——— 6
A great Plague in Cambridge, 52	Since the L. Staff. beheaded. 3
Earl of Strafford beheaded 43	Since the last Great Comet 3
A great Fight at Edge-hill ——— 42	
Brainford Fight ————— 41	
Newbury first Fight, Sep. 22. 40	
Newbury second Fight ——— 39	
The fatal Battel at Naseby Jun. 4th. ————— 39	
The Bp. of Cant. beheaded 39	

		A day			A week			A mon.			3 months			6 months			A Year.					
		d.	c.	s.	d.	c.	s.	d.	c.	s.	d.	c.	s.	d.	c.	s.	d.	c.				
Shillings	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	36	0	0	0	72
	2	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	12	0	0	0	36	0	0	0	72	0	0	0	144
	3	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	18	0	0	0	54	0	0	0	108	0	0	0	216
	4	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	24	0	0	0	72	0	0	0	144	0	0	0	288
	5	0	1	0	0	7	0	0	0	30	0	0	0	90	0	0	0	180	0	0	0	360
	6	0	1	0	0	8	0	0	0	36	0	0	0	108	0	0	0	216	0	0	0	432
	7	0	1	0	0	10	0	0	0	42	0	0	0	126	0	0	0	252	0	0	0	504
	8	0	1	0	0	11	0	0	0	48	0	0	0	144	0	0	0	288	0	0	0	576
	9	0	1	0	0	12	0	0	0	54	0	0	0	162	0	0	0	324	0	0	0	648
	10	0	2	0	0	13	0	0	0	60	0	0	0	180	0	0	0	360	0	0	0	720
Pounds	1	0	4	0	0	27	0	1	20	0	0	3	60	0	0	7	20	0	1	2	40	
	2	0	8	0	0	55	0	2	40	0	0	7	20	0	1	2	40	0	2	4	80	
	3	0	12	0	0	82	0	3	60	0	0	10	80	0	1	9	60	0	3	7	20	
	4	0	15	0	1	10	0	4	80	0	1	2	40	0	2	4	80	0	4	9	60	
	5	0	19	0	1	38	0	6	00	0	1	6	00	0	3	0	00	0	6	0	00	
	6	0	23	0	1	65	0	7	20	0	1	9	60	0	3	7	20	0	7	2	40	
	7	0	27	0	1	93	0	8	40	0	2	1	20	0	4	2	40	0	8	4	80	
	8	0	31	0	2	21	0	9	60	0	2	4	80	0	4	9	60	0	9	7	20	
	9	0	35	0	2	48	0	10	80	0	2	8	40	0	5	4	80	0	10	9	60	
	10	0	39	0	2	76	1	0	00	0	3	0	00	0	6	0	00	0	12	0	00	
	20	0	79	0	5	52	2	0	00	0	6	0	00	0	12	0	0	1	4	0	00	
	30	1	18	0	8	28	3	0	00	0	9	0	00	0	18	0	0	1	16	0	00	
	40	1	38	0	11	44	0	0	00	0	12	0	0	1	4	0	0	2	8	0	00	
	50	1	97	1	1	80	5	0	00	0	15	0	0	1	10	0	0	3	0	0	00	
	60	2	36	1	4	57	6	0	00	0	18	0	0	1	16	0	0	3	12	0	00	
	70	2	76	1	7	33	7	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	2	0	0	4	4	0	00	
	80	3	15	1	10	9	8	0	0	1	4	0	0	2	8	0	0	4	16	0	00	
	90	3	55	2	0	85	9	0	0	1	7	0	0	2	14	0	0	5	8	0	00	
	100	3	94	2	3	61	10	0	0	1	10	0	0	3	0	0	0	6	0	0	00	

This Table shews the Interest of any sum of Money from 1 s. to a 100  
 from a day to a year. And by the help of Addition you may compute  
 the Interest of any sum whatsoever; and note that for the greater exact-  
 ness the penny is divided into a 100 parts, so that 25 parts are a farthing,  
 and 50 parts an half-penny, and 75 parts 3 farthings, &c. *Example,*

The Interest of 100 l. for six months one week and one day, is thus  
 found by the Table.

	l.	s.	d.	p.	
Interest of 100 l.	{	for 6 mon.	03	0	0
		for 1 week	00	2	3
		for a day.	00	0	3
			94		
			93	2	7
			53		

} viz 3 2 7 half p.

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*I write not of Victorious Hannibal,  
Of Rome's old Murther'd Sons, nor Pompey's Fall,  
Of Height, of Depth, of Earth, of Heaven, of Hell,  
Of Ugly Monsters, Shapes that do excell:  
Of Joy, of Woe, of Horror, Mirth and Fear,  
Of Restless Motions, whirld about the Sphers,  
But this is my Design and chiefeft end,  
Only to serve my Honest Country Friend.*

© In  $\Psi$  Decemb. 11. 2 h. 40 m. P M.

M C  $\approx$  8. Ascend. II 13.  $\Delta$   $\Delta$   $\Psi$  *advac.*  $\odot$   $\odot$   $\odot$ ,  $\odot$ .

1. The Position of the Heavens at the Initiation of the *Winter Quarter*, appears moderately calm and hopeful, (being a time rather for Council then Action) I pray God so continue it even throughout the whole Year.——But whosoever well considers those *Male-Configurations* of the Planets in *January* and *February* this Year, may reasonably conjecture, not only a Turbulent Season as to Weather, but in *Mundane Affairs* also.——And if so, 'tis rational to believe, that after the first Month of this Quarter, we may expect to hear of very Notable Transactions carried on by the greatest Wits, both of our own and our Neighbour Nations; and in the midst of all this Action, (be it of what kind soever) some Persons will be *advanc'd*, and others discarded, as being found Guilty of high Misdemeanors, and perhaps Persons of no mean Quality too.——The Spirits of Men seem about this time to be strangely exasperated, and they run themselves too voluntarily into no small Troubles and Vexations.——And thus our Peace is Molested and Disquieted, and thereby both the Temporal and Civil Magistrate disturbed. Many Elderly (or the more Antient sort) of People, leave this World this Quarter, and amongst the rest some persons of Note, both in *England* and some near adjacent Countries, also much Robbery and Thievery practis'd; for such *Configurations* usually excite Mankind to Passion and Revenge, by Plotting and Conspiracy, though to their own Ruine and Destruction, *Vivat Rex Magnae Britanniae*. Such matters as these in general may be discovered from the consideration of the Stars, who were not created in vain, or barely



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barely to be Gaz'd at, they by their Motions, and Complication of their Beams or Rays, point out or fore-shew Changes in the World; though they cannot be said to be the Causes thereof; for they do but gently incline, and have not power to force or compel the Wills of Mankind——Yet 'tis suppos'd their Influence extends to Bodies Inanimate—which I shall not discourse in this place.——And thus we may learn by dayly Experience, that our Joys in this World do not always run smooth and clear, for the best Contentments have some kind of muddy mixture, and the sweetest Cup hath some Lees at bottom.

So——*The Saylor when he sees the Skies*

*Cover'd with Storms, and Tempests rise,*

*Thinks none so happy live or well,*

*As those that on the main Land dwell,*

*He praises what he flights at home:*

*But when from a Bad Voyage come,*

*Above the Earth he loves the Main,*

*And longs to be at Sea again.*

The Affairs of the Year 1683, both at home and abroad, were very considerable, yet fresh in every Man's Memory, and as plainly Predicted, both by my self, and other Students, who have presented the World with their real Judgments (so much as was convenient) what in all probability might be contingent (for several years) in many parts thereof; which doth confirm the truth of this most excellent and sublime Art. And we may still daily expect those stupendious effects of the Famous Threefold Conjunction of Saturn and Jupiter, as also the Comets that did precede the same, of which there has been a large account given, what the Portents may be, and shall be farther hinted at in the Subsequent Judgments of this present Year. But before I conclude my Judgment of this Quarter, I think 'tis very remarkable and worth our Notice, that amongst those many ♀'s and ♂'s of the Planets at the beginning of the year in January and February, there happens one most hateful ♀ of ♄ and ♂, from ♄ and ♄, January the 3d (as may be seen by the Synopsis of the Aspects of the Planets throughout the Year) which I fear may produce strange kind

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of violent Effects—not only in England, but in many parts of Europe, but of what nature I dare not conjecture, 'tis Time is the only Parent of Truth, they are Planets of contrary Natures and both reputed *Infertile* in respect of their Influence. Let every Inquisitive Person that would be satisfied, look back to former years, and consider what Accidents followed upon such kind of *Configurations*, (together with the Concurrence of other *Phænomena*) and then guess what may follow this present  $\odot$ , accompanied with no less than eight more of the Planets amongst themselves in two Months time. — All I shall say, is in the Words of my Honoured Friend Mr. William Lilly Deceased, in his *Anglicus* 1656. —

————— Lord God,  
*Forgive our Frailties and keep in thy Rod;  
Afflict us not with Plague, or what is worse,  
With Hungry Souls, by far the greater Curse.*

There is also a  $\odot$  of these Planets this Year *Octob. 3.* and doubtless will have very significant effects, in many places of Europe, God preserve us from all violent Diseases, and unite the Hearts of the People that we may live in Peace and Tranquillity together, and then we shall be able to defend our selves against all Foreign Opposition whatsoever. As to the Progress of the *Great Turk*, as also of the Fate and general Affairs of some Neighbouring Princes, enough has lately been written (and perhaps to good purpose) and therefore I shall pretermitt any further consideration thereof. The Authors tell us that an  $\odot$  or  $\odot$  of  $\text{H}$  and  $\text{J}$  portends to those Countries under the Sign or Signs they are celebrated in, not only many Decays and Falsities amongst the People themselves, but there is threatened much War and Bloodshed, the burning and destroying of Towns and Cities, popular Tumults, Beheadings, Hangings, Murthers, Rapines, and Robberies in abundance, also a corrupted Air, and consequently great Mortality of Mankind as well as Cattle, scarcity of Grain, strange Temp-st, many Shipwracks, *cum multis aliis*, — from all which Evils, good Lord deliver us. — *Mortis hora incerta.* —

2. Of the *Spring Quarter*, which this year commenceth, according to the *Rudolphine Tables*, *March 9, 2 h. 9 P M*, but by other Tables of good repute, 2 hours later at least, and by those

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those new correct Tables of the same Author, at least 3 hours after 3 now since there is so much uncertainty in the time of the *Suns Ingress* into  $\gamma$  (and almost as difficult a point as to gain the *Ascendant* of a  $\delta$  of the 2 slow Superior Planets) I shall therefore follow the Method prescribed in my *Nuncius* 1683, and (as in several Years-past) from that Foundation deduce an Astrological Judgment.

*A Table of the Planets places and Aspects March 10. 1684. at Noon in the Meridian of London.*

Plan. places	$\gamma$	$\delta$	$\Pi$	$\xi$	$\Omega$	$\mu$	$\nu$	$\zeta$	$\eta$	$\theta$	$\iota$	$\kappa$
$\Delta$ 6. 19. 8	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$
$\delta$ 6. 22	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$
$\gamma$ 16. 15	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$
$\delta$ 23. 0	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$
$\delta$ 23. 42	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$
$\delta$ 28. 28	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$
$\delta$ 28. 37	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$
$\odot$ 29. 55	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$	$\delta$

By this Table it appears, that the  $\Delta$  at the  $\odot$  Ingress into  $\gamma$  separated from a  $\delta$  of  $\delta$ ,  $\Delta$  of  $\eta$ , and  $\delta$  of

$\gamma$ , now in  $\ast$  to  $\gamma$  and hastens to the  $\Delta$  of  $\gamma$ . Moreover tis plain that  $\gamma$  applys to an  $\delta$  of  $\gamma$ ,  $\gamma$  is in  $\Delta$  to  $\eta$ , and she lately separated from a  $\delta$  of  $\delta$ . In the New  $\Delta$  pre-ventional about 14 degrees of  $\mu$  culminates, and 8 degrees of  $\nu$  ascends in our Horizon, the  $\Delta$  defluxes from an  $\delta$  of  $\gamma$ , and applys first *ad vacuum* then to the  $\delta$  of  $\delta$  and  $\gamma$ ;  $\eta$  and  $\gamma$  are posited in the 8 House, the  $\odot$   $\Delta$  and  $\gamma$  in the 2, and  $\gamma$  and  $\delta$  in  $\delta$  in the 3. This being premised the next thing is to present my Judgment *Astrological* what in all probability may succeed this Quarter—which I offer as followeth, viz.

This *Spring Quarter* in all probability should produce much variety in Mundane Affairs, though no great matters may be expected at the beginning hereof, except something of the effects of those Male Configurations in *February* last—Great are the Councils and Consultations now on foot in most parts of *Europe*, and it will not be long before we may expect to hear and see something of the effects and portents thereof. In the Month of *April* there is a hateful *Quadrature* of the Malevolent Planets  $\eta$  and  $\delta$ , and throughout the whole Quarter we have

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many considerable Configurations of the Planets both of good and evil portents, but they are for the most part propitious, and consequently their effects in general should be the same, and if so we may reasonably hope that our British Affairs are and will be carried on with much Grandeur and happy success, notwithstanding those Menaces that some upon slender grounds have boldly threatened the World withal: We live in an Age that cannot easily be flatter'd nor affrighted either by Words or the Pen, Truth and Matter is really expected, though 'tis as certain that every Agent has his end and design. Much of Action in some remote parts of Europe, and in general before this Spring Quarter be ended, and the whole Year will certainly be attended with very Notable Transactions, and Matters of very high concernment of eminent note, as to serious Consultations, Debates, Treaties, Wars, and many other Occurrences agitated with the most Transcendant Resolutions and Gallantry. — But as to England in parricular,  $\text{J}$  in  $\text{V}$  promises great things. *Et significat victoriam in bellocivibus, &c.*  $\text{J}$  signifies Victory and Success unto those People and Chies in their Wars against their Enemies, and against all such as shall come from any Quarter or place to do them Injury. — His Majesty of Great Britain shall be safe, and also victorious over his Enemies — and his Subjects in general will Love, Reverence, and Obey him, and if so they should be far from that uneasy passionate humour of raising or fomenting of Commotions or Rebellion, though there be a discontented Party now living amongst us, that would rejoice much (and desire) to see the same. But they will find that Peace and Tranquillity is the best of things, and good Order is the very Life and Soul of Government. As to the Diseases of this Quarter they should be very various and no less dangerous. And Lastly;—

—We may conclude that Worldly Glories are,  
Vain Shadows, Seas of Sorrow, Springs of Care,  
No Envy, no Revenge, no Rage, no Pride,  
No Lust, nor Rapine, should our Courses guide.  
Nor are we idle, when our sight we raise,  
Beyond the present Times to Future days. —

3. Of the *Summer Quarter*, which according to vulgar Computation commences this year *June 10, 5 h<sup>o</sup> PM.* at which time the ☽ separates from a ☐ of ☿ and the ☉, and applies to the \* of ♀ and ☐ of ♀; and at the same time the ☉ is in \* to ♄ and ☿. — Moreover at the *Full Moon* postventional there happens a small Eclipse of the ☽ upon the 17. day of the Month about 30 min. past 2 in the morning, and may be seen, so much as is of it, *viz.* about 1 dig. Eclipsed, and therefore the less considerable. The Months of *June* and *July* produce many favourable Aspects of the Planets, and usually such Configurations are attended with as gentle, quiet, and hopeful effects. But in the Month of *August* we have no less than six ☿'s with the Planet ♀ and 5 of them in ♄ his own Dignities, which I presume may not only give much variety of weather, but produce other things well worth the Observation of the most curious: I remember in *Septemb. 1656*, there were in that Month 8 ☿'s of the Planets, and 7 of them in the same Sign ♄, what followed then we may easily examine, if we do but consult the Diaries for that year. *Octob. 3. 1656*, the River of *Thames* Ebb'd and Flow'd twice in 3 hours. — The *English* obtain'd a signal Victory against the *Spaniard*, and shortly after *Oliver Cromwell* was courted to be King of *England*, but he would not accept of that Title, but rather *Lord Protector*, and many other Transactions, too many to be enumerated in this place. — These ☿'s fell in the *Ascendant* of *Paris* the chief City of *France*, according to the Observations of the Learned, and if so we may hereafter receive Intelligence what Impressions they leave either upon that City or Kingdom in general, there are several dreadful Prophecies against that Nation which have many years since been published; one of them begins thus, — *Rex Francie depellitur a suis finibus a propriis subditis, &c.* The King of *France* shall be driven from his own Coasts, and confined by his own Subjects, &c. Let time demonstrate the truth hereof, I have scarce Faith enough to confide in Prophecies, they are now ceased and I presume, signify but little. — But to come nearer home to our own Nation, I conclude from a serious consideration of the Motions, ☿'s, and Aspects of the Heavenly Bodies, that we may still continue moderately quiet amongst our selves; (and it is great prudence so to do) many ☿'s shew or point out many private and serious Consultations.

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and most of them chiefly designed and intended for the publick good,——But a man had as good be Dumb as speak and not be heard,——

——*Yet when the Truth doth urge the Tongue to speak,  
Somewhat must out, or else the Heart would break,  
Though he whose Tongue before his Wit doth run,  
Oft speaks too soon as I know some have done.*——

We have a large Field to walk in, and much may be said concerning the general Transactions of the year, but things of the greatest admiration should be acted in remote parts of the World, which concern not our *British* Isle,——Yet in those parts I fear there will be abundance of Christian blood lost, and thousands of Innocent Souls cut off, such is their most unhappy Fate, the *Ottoman* Family, viz. that Potent Army will assuredly continue to molest with violence the *Hungarians* and others under the Dominions of his *Imperial Majesty*, which cannot be easily prevented.——God preserve us in Peace and Tranquility, under a most Gracious King to whom God grant a long and prosperous Reign——For——

*Blood is a crying Sin; but that of Kings  
Cries loudest; and to certain Ruine brings.  
In Peace and War we covet hurtful things,  
The Copious flood of Gain, to many brings  
Untimely Death, another rashly dies,  
Whilst he upon his wondrous strength relies.*

But——*We judge those Glorious Spirits doubly blest  
Who from short life ascend to Eternal Rest.*

4. Of the *Autumnal* or *Harvest Quarter*, which this year begins *Septemb.* the 12, 8 h. 36 min<sup>ut</sup>, at which time the ☉ touches the first point of the *Aequinoctial* Sign ♎, (as at the beginning of the last Quarter he made his *Ingress* into the *Tropical* Sign ♋.) At this *Ingress*, we have about 5 deg. of ♋ culminating, and 26 deg. of ♎ Ascending in our Meridian—The ☽ separates from an ♂ of ♋ and ♏, and applies to an ♂ of the ☉ and ♏, who is now remov'd out of ♏ his detriment, into the *Celestial* Ballance.——The *Configurations* of the *Planets* this Quarter are for the most part Benevolent, and therefore

we may justly hope for the same harmony on Earth as (during this Quarter) is amongst the Celestial Wanderers in the Heavens,—these Influences are concomitant and consequently co-operate with many precedent *Aspects* and *♂s*, and many times puts forward or retards the Operation or effects of the most potent Congresses and complication of the beams of the Planets.—This is a fit time for Council and serious Consultation, but Mens minds are as uncertain as the Season: The actions of Men are various, and probably we may hear of the Convention of Grand Councils or Meetings both in *England* and other Countries, *viz.* amongst the *German* Princes, and also the *Papish* Clergy in *Italy*; nor is the King of *Spain*, and his most Christian Majesty negligent of their own Interests, but very active and consult with the wisest heads of their Kingdoms concerning matters of very high and Transcendant concernment.—*Jovis* is now in the Sign of Justice, and may therefore incline some of the Grandees of the World to acts of Justice, and much good may about this time be done as to the Settlement and Regulation of the most considerable Affairs in many *European* Countries.—And yet I judge something of more than ordinary Action is approaching or ready to break out, and if so it will in a great measure convince the Incredulous, that the *♂s* of the Superiour Planets and the appearance of Comets and such like *Phænomena* in the Heavens are not in vain, but sent by the Almighty to warn us of Impending Judgments.—Amongst the rest, God preserve us from a Plague, which has been long expected, and 'tis his great Mercy and Compassion if not yet inflicted.—Heaven Bleis our Nation with Peace and Tranquility, as also our Navies at Sea or Forces on Land throughout His Majesties Dominions, not omitting our *London* Merchants Ships in what part of the World soever they are, and they are at this time very considerable in Number;—and thus I conclude my Judgment on this Quarter in the words of the Poet, *viz.*—

—The Worlds great Dice are false; sometimes they go  
Extreamly high, sometimes extreamly low,  
Of all her Gamblers he that plays the least,  
Lives most at ease, plays most secure and best.  
The World's a Torment, he that would Indevour  
To find the way to rest, must seek the way to leave her.

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5. Of the Eclipses of this year which are in Number five, viz. three of the ☉ and 2 of the ☽, the first is of the ☉ the 6 day of *January* about half an hour past 5 at night, and therefore Inconspicuous in our Hemisphere the ☉ being then Set, but 'twill appear a great Eclipse to those Inhabitants that live near the *Aequinotial*, and in the *west Indies*. The Second is a small Eclipse of the ☽ *June 17.* about half an hour past 2 in the morning (already mentioned in the *Summer Quarter*.) It may be visible if the Air be clear, but not much above one digit Eclipsed. The third is an Eclipse of the ☉ *July 2, 2 h. 36 m.* afternoon, and certainly will appear considerably great in *France, Spain, Hungary, Austria, Bohemia, Russia, &c.* and those Countries which lye in the Latitude of 46 and 47 degrees, and Longitude about 35 or 36 Westwards from *London* 'twill appear central,—the greatest Obscuration is at 3 h. 16 4", the beginning at 2 h' 5. 5". the end at 4 h. 17'. 12" Total Duration near 2 hours and a Quarter,—Digits Eclipsed 7. 35. 50. The fourth Eclipse is of the ☽ *Decemb. 11.* about 3 quarters past 10 at Night, and may be seen if Clouds interpose not. The beginning is at 9 h. 6', 26". The greatest Obscuration at 10 h. 4', the end at 12 h. 2'. Total Duration 3 hours and a quarter, Digits Eclipsed 8, 48.—The fifth Eclipse is of the ☉ *Decemb. 26,* about 3 quarters past 2 in the morning, and therefore cannot be seen with us, but to our *Antipodes* 'twill be visible, and appear a very great Eclipse, especially to those who inhabit near the *Antarctic Circle* (if any such People be) and in the Longitude of 152 d. *Eastward* from *London* and Latitude 72 and  $\frac{1}{2}$  South, this Eclipse will be Central,—and thus much of Eclipses.—The next thing in order should be a particular Judgment upon those Eclipses that are visible, but that has already been considered in the precedent Judgments and Observations, and I know not what can be further added.—As for the Judgment of the late famous  $\phi$  of  $\eta$  and  $\psi$  in  $\Omega$ , I have in my former *Starry Messengers*, and also in Mr. *Lilly's Anglicus's* (annually continued by my self,) exhibited, what in all probability may be the effects thereof, and the last year we had two Authors amongst us very boldly presented the World with their labours therein (though not without apparent dependance one upon the other) and we are daily in expectation of farther Observations upon the aforesaid Conjunctions from the hands of some Ingenious Students of our Nation



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arion, who have already promised to publish their Conceptions thereon at large. — But whoever reads Mr. Lilly's *Prophetical Merlin*, or Mr. Edlin's *Nuncius Sydereus*, may satisfie themselves moderately well, what effects are naturally produced in the World upon such Congresses, — and 'tis easie to add an Invention. — My honoured Friend Mr. William Lilly published *Spinus's Catastrophe Mundi* in English, as it was translated many years since by my Honoured Patron, *Elias Ashmole Esq*; a person of great knowledge in all parts of Learning, and a Constant Promoter and Incourager of all Honest and Industrious Artists, or Students in the most Sublime Arts. In that very Book there are many curious Astrological Notions (though by some termed vain things) and that amusing Title has since been revived over and over, and I fear we are not much Wiser then we were before, for all is not Gold that Glitters. — There is now made publick a most excellent piece concerning the *Measure of Time in Directions of Nativities*, by my Respected Friend Mr. John Kendall School-master in Colchester, 'tis the most Correct that hitherto has been produced, being an *Equation* to be added or subtracted (as the Tables direct) to or from the *Arch of Direction*, particular to every Individual Nativity, and thereby points out the time of an Accident so nearly, that neither *Nabod*, *Ptolomy*, *Maginus* nor *Keplar*, performs the like, sold by *Christophir Hussy* at the *Flower-de-luce* in Little Britain. Where you may be Furnish'd with Blanck *Speculums* and *Schemes* from Copper Plates.

• The EPILOGUE, or Conclusion.

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I shall continue this; and so present  
More useful matter, which may give content,  
Friendly Scan all, yet Scandalize me not  
With the Detraçting Tongue of every Sot:  
If well, then censure well, if ill Dispraise it,  
Yet would I know, if he be wise that says it.

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